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BIRTHS.

DALY—July 10, 1940, to Kathleen (*née* Colleton), wife of Dr. T. J. Daly, Porirna, Wellington, New Zealand, a daughter (Sheila).

DUGGAN—July 23, 1940, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Olive, wife of Kevin J. Duggan, Green Park, Rathgar, a son.

GRAHAM—July 23, 1940, to Anna (*née* Davison), wife of James Graham, Carrick House, Keady, a son.

GRIFFIN—July 10, 1940, to Cora, wife of R. A. Griffin, Church View, Balbriggan, a son.

LEDBETTER—July 21, 1940, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Florrie (*née* Williams), wife of Trevor Ledbetter, Kildrum, Dartry road, Dublin, a daughter.

MACLEAN—July 24, 1940, at Park Grove Nursing Home, Glasgow, to Vivienne Bourke, wife of Robert A. MacLean, Dunavon, Bridge-of-Weir, Renfrewshire, a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

GULLY and FLOOD—July 10, 1940, at Kingsland Park Methodist Church, by the Rev. S. J. Crawford, Richard F. M., elder son of the late G. F. Gully and of Mrs. Gully, 82 Hollybrook road, Clontarf, to Iris M., younger daughter of the late J. J. Flood and of Mrs. Flood, 21 Lennox place, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ARNOTT—July 26, 1940, at Shearwater, Baily, Co. Dublin, Sir John Alexander Arnott, Bart., in his 87th year. Funeral strictly private.

CURTIN—July 26, 1940, at 66 Adelaide road, Dublin, Michael, late of the National Bank, College Green. Funeral arrangements later.

GREY—July 26, 1940, at his residence, 9 Seafield road, Clontarf, John J., beloved husband of Elsie Grey. Funeral (private) on Monday to St. Fintan's, Sutton, following Service at Clontarf Parish Church, 9.45 a.m. No flowers by request.

HARKNESS—July 25, 1940, at her residence, 48 Albert road, Glenageary, Maud Bellingham, third daughter of the Rev. William Harkness, late of Athea, Co. Limerick, and Rector of Winscombe, Somerset, England, in her 82nd year. "Call it not death, it is life begun." Canadian papers please copy.

HERRIOTT—July 25, 1940, at Barrington's Hospital, Limerick, L. A. (Renzie), younger son of W. T. Herriott, Wellington Villa, Limerick. Solemn Requiem Mass at St. Michael's Church at 10.30 a.m. to-day (Saturday), funeral following at 11.30 a.m.

McQUILLAN—July 20, 1940, at Sydney, New South Wales, Thomas Vincent, son of the late Peter McQuillan, West street, Drogheda. R.I.P. Solemn Requiem Mass at St. Peter's, West street, Drogheda, on Monday, July 29, at 10.30 o'clock.

NUGENT—July 26, 1940, at a private nursing home, Co. Dublin, William, dearly-beloved husband of Clara Nugent, late Hunter's Hotel, Rathnew. R.I.P. Funeral private.

O'REILLY—July 25, 1940, at a private nursing home, Rose Edith O'Reilly, of 60 Waterloo road, Dublin, daughter of the late Michael O'Reilly, of Adelaide. R.I.P. Mass 10 o'clock this day (Saturday) at St. Mary's, Haddington road. Funeral to Glasnevin.

PARKE—July 26, 1940, at a city hospital, Robert, beloved husband of Mary Frances Parke, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Parke, Sligo. Funeral to-day (Saturday), arriving Mount Jerome 10.45 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bethune, 12 Tivoli terrace, East, Kingstown, and relatives, desire to thank all kind friends who sent wreaths, telegrams and letters of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, and trust all will accept this in grateful acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply individually.

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LADY, R.C., requires three Unfurnished Rooms, about £66; Pembroke.—M 509, this office.

LADY requires comfortable Lodgings, Glasnevin district.—M 545, this office.

WANTED, Bed-Sittingroom, to suit business lady; terms moderate; North side.—M 502, this office.

NORTH OF IRELAND.

CHARMING, well Furnished Country House, in British Dominion, NORTHERN IRELAND, CO. ARMAGH, two hours from Dublin by train—Owner welcome PAYING GUESTS; very comfortable bedrooms; beautiful walks in private parklands; course fishing and boating in own lake, golf; garaging; ideal for rest or an energetic holiday; moderate terms; social references given; brochure. Apply Mr. and Mrs. Cope, Drumilly, Loughgall, Co. Armagh. Telephone, Loughgall 215. 25 X

NURSING HOMES AND INSTITUTIONS.

COMFORTABLE Home offered in nurse's private home to elderly guests, Protestant; every care; highly recommended; moderate; 'phone.—R O 199, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 25 B

PROTESTANT Nursing Home has vacancy for Chronic Patient; moderate terms.—M 377, this office. 24 A

PRIVATE Convalescent Home for aged ladies and gentlemen, supervised by trained nurses; suburban residence; moderate fees.—M 535, this office.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

AT Delgany—Modern, detached, 6 principal rooms, garage, nice garden, Southern aspect, 'bus line; £80, exclusive.—Jones, Auctioneers, 10 Stephen's Green. 23 F

AT Bally—To Let, August, nicely Furnished House, facing south; 4 bedrooms, 2 large sittingrooms, garage, etc.; excellent views; tram passes door; £25.—M 364, this office. 24 A

AT Sugar Loaf, Kilmacanogue—Bungalow to Let, Furnished. Address "Z 1643, Bungalow," this office. 24 A

ATTRACTIVELY designed, modern Residence, Killiney (Upper Glenageary), to Let; semi-detached, non-basement; lounge hall, with cloakroom, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms (2 h. and c.), garage; £120, free. Kirwan, Solicitor, Suffolk street, Dublin. 24 A

AUGUST—Modern House to Let, Furnished; Sandycove; garden, garage; low terms to good tenants. (House), Leonard, Newsagent, Dun Laoghaire.

AUBURN, Burnaby road, Greystones, semi-detached, to Let, Unfurnished; completely redecorated inside and out, comprising 2 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms (h. and c. in four), study, bathroom, garden, telephone, electric light throughout. Apply Hanna, 65 Lansdowne road, Dublin. X

BRAY—Cottage to Let, September; £2 monthly; near sea.—M 298, this office. 23 F

BETTYSTOWN—Furnished House, 7 apartments, modern conveniences; August or longer.—Flanagan-Lyons.

BRAY (in a delightful situation)—To be Let Furnished for August and September, £45 for two months, detached Residence with pleasure grounds, well stocked garden, garage. A refined gentleman's residence.—James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

BRAY—Superior, semi-detached House to Let; 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, maid's room, bath, electric, garden, garage. Address "Z 1692, House," this office.

COMFORTABLE Four Apartment House; also Two Apartment House to Let in Wicklow; w.c., water, e.l.; patch of ground.—Address "Z 1694, House," this office. 25 C

CLONDALKIN; 3 reception, 4 bed, Esse cooker, bath; newly decorated; on almost an acre; £100 and rates, plus £27.—Wm. Montgomery and Son, 24 Suffolk street.

DUN LAOGHAIRE—Let or Sell, modern, five roomed House, bathroom, kitchenette, gardens, garage.—511, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire. 23 F

DUN LAOGHAIRE—Wanted, small, modern, Furnished House, garage, garden; one year's Let.—Stephens's Library, Dun Laoghaire. 25 F

FURNISHED Bungalow, Greystones; 4 rooms, kitchenette, all conveniences; £12 August, £6 September.—M 436, this office. 25 F

HOUSE to Let, Roundstone, four guineas weekly, linen included; accommodate seven; bath, h. and c.—Smith, Duleek, Meath. 25 F

HOUSE to Let, Bettystown, August; on strand; 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences.—M 356, this office. 25 A

HOWTH—Detached House to Let for August and September; 4 bedrooms, bathroom, diningroom, sittingroom, kitchen and w.c., all modern conveniences attached; wonderful view; convenient to Howth town.—M 538, this office.

HOWTH and Sutton—Furnished Houses for summer Letting. Apply Walshe, House Agent, Howth. X

PEPPERSTOWN House, Ardee, to be Let at moderate rent; non-basement house; 7 bedrooms, 2 reception rooms; orchard, garden. Apply Mrs. Shaw, Stratford, Rathgar. 24 X

QUIET, secluded Cottage for two to Let, on beautiful estate, in excellent repair; gas ring, verandah, garage; wide views; one acre (or more) land; use of tennis court, river, rough shooting, harriers; small rent; furnished or unfurnished.—Box C 175, Irish Times Branch Office, 6 William street, Limerick.

RAHENY—Furnished, modern House to Let; very healthy position.—M 423, this office. 25 B

SUBSTANTIAL 6-roomed country House, furnished, Hill district outside Enniskerry, for season or on lease.—Box 7616, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin. 8 X

SMALL, detached, modern House to Let Furnished; every convenience, garden, garage; Monkstown district.—Box 186, Stephens's Library, Dun Laoghaire.

TO Let at £40 per year, small country House, unfurnished; modern conveniences, garage and garden; 50 miles from Dublin. Address "Z 1665, House," this office.

TO Let in August, attractive, well Furnished Residence, in Donegal Highlands (Gaeltacht); 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (h and c.), garage; lovely scenery; bathing, boating, fishing, golfing, mountain climbing; absolute quiet; moderate.—M 501, this office. 26 C

WANTED Furnished House for August at or near sea.—M 508, this office.

WANTED, small Cottage or Gate Lodge, near good town, within 50 miles Dublin; low rent; full particulars required.—M 529, this office.

WICKLOW—Furnished House or Apartments to Let, August.—Mrs. Gregg, Castle street.

APARTMENTS AND FLATS TO LET AND WANTED. SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

AT Blackrock—Exceptional self-contained 5-roomed Flat, garage, etc.; £96.—Archer, 12 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 23 F

ATTRACTIVE, self contained Flat, in beautiful grounds, Ballinclea House, Ballinclea road, Killiney, overlooking and entrance adjoining golf links; newly fitted and decorated; electric light; gas; garage, garden plot; £84, free. 24 A

ACCOMMODATION for Paying Guests, overlooking the sea; modern conveniences, quiet, bracing, ideal for convalescents; bathing, boating, fishing.—Mrs. Godfree, Kilmore Quay, Wexford. 25 F

AUGUST or longer, Guests taken, 2½ guineas per week; large country house; tennis, bathing; electric light; boats; boating on lake and fishing free. Address "Z 1668, Guests," this office. 24 B

ACCOMMODATION, full or partial, offered Protestant gentleman, private house, Blackrock; terms moderate.—Box 599, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire.

BEAUTIFULLY Furnished Flat, all conveniences.—1 Idrone terrace, Blackrock. Seen any time. 22 F

BLACKROCK—Attractive, sunny, self-contained Ground Floor Flat, 3 rooms, large garden; tennis; garage if required; access to sea, 'bus, tram route.—M 453, this office. 25 F

BRAY—Claddagh Cottage, Esplanade; newly furnished, ideally situated; garden, e.l. Open for bookings August, September; terms moderate. 25 B

BOARD Residence—3 Westcliff, West End, Kilkee; terms on application.—Mrs. Silles. 3 X

BED Sittingroom, ground or second floor; suit lady or gentleman; invalid or person convalescing taken in nurse's home, farmhouse; healthy, bog and mountain air; terms moderate. Address "Z 1651, Apartments," this office.

BRAY—Self Contained Flat to Let, Unfurnished; 3 living rooms, bath, kitchenette; electric power; newly decorated. Address "Z 1691, Flat," this office.

BEAUTIFULLY decorated, self contained Garden Flat, Unfurnished; beside train; suit adults.—15 Alma road, Monkstown.

CAHORE House, seaside, Co. Wexford—Golf, tennis, croquet, every comfort; some double rooms available August. Apply George, Cahore, Gorey. 24 A

CO. Wicklow—Guests received, country house, 20 miles Dublin; convenient 'bus, golf. Address "Z 1664, Guests," this office. 24 F

CO. Sligo—Guests received, comfortable country house, beautifully situated; good golf links convenient; lovely grounds; own produce; garages; terms, 3 guineas August, 2½ guineas September. Address "Z 1693, Guests," this office.

DONEGAL (Dunfanaghy)—Comfortable Board Residence at beach; recommended; 2 guineas weekly.—Mrs. Magee, Knockduff, Ballymore.

FOXROCK—Furnished, self-contained Flat, suit one; beautifully situated, own grounds, all conveniences.—M 504, this office. 26 A

GUEST received, short or long visit, Co. Cork, lovely seaside private residence; bathing, boating, hard court; state requirements; everything good. Address "Z 1673, Guests," this office. 25 B

GUESTS—Magnificent country House, modern comforts; County Kildare. Address "Z 1613, Guests," this office.

GUESTS welcomed, Farmhouse; fishing, shooting; 'bus passes; excellent catering; 30/-.—Correvan House, Newbliss.

KILLINEY—Visitors, Guests kept permanently; convenient rail, 'bus, sea, links; terms moderate. Apply 8 Shanganagh terrace. 25 F

KINGSTOWN—Lady, I.C., offers another, home, Paying Guest, 45/- weekly.—Box 206, Dixon, Dun Laoghaire. 25 F

KILLINEY—Detached House, bed and sittingroom. Full or partial board. Garage. Address "Z 1714, Apartments," this office. 26 C

KILLINEY—Lady requires Bedroom, use of sittingroom; select house; 2 or 3 weeks, August.—M 462, this office.

LADY with young child wishes Accommodation, Catholic household, Midlands; state terms.—M 513, this office.

MONKSTOWN—Furnished Apartments with attendance.—Mrs. Daly, 2 Eaton square. 26 C

RATHCLAREN, Bray; spacious grounds; tennis; own produce, chickens, etc.; ideal for families.

SANDYCOVE—6 Eden Park; Let, Furnished Flat, August or permanent; near sea. 26 A

SEAPOINT—Very superior, new, Furnished Flat; 3 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, lavatory; August £12; or £100 year.—93 Seapoint avenue. 24 X

SAFE area, N.W. coast, lovely scenery, 5 hours Dublin or Belfast, 'bus passes, Guests welcomed, comfortable manor; first-class references; excellent fishing, golf, grouse moor; 2½ gns. Address "Z 1672, Guests," this office.

TO those requiring restful, country holiday, Guests taken Co. Sligo, 14 miles from sea; car an advantage; garden; Protestants. Inquiries invited. Address "Z 1712, Guests," this office. 26 C

MISCELLANEOUS.

AT Reasonable Prices—Pictures Artistically Framed. Pictures and Mirrors—Waddington Galleries, 28 South Anne street and 19 Nassau street. T

ABDOMINAL Belts, Elastic Stockings, Knee-Caps, Anklets, Jock Straps, Suspensory Bandages, Trusses, Ladies' Whirling Sprays, Enemas, Douches, Syringes, Braces for Correcting Stoop and Round Shoulders, all Surgical Requisites, cheapest house in town; catalogue.—Dublin Medical Stores, Fownes street, off Dame street. T

ANTISEPTIC Electrolysis Removes Hair permanently without mark. Consultations free.—Miss Read, Certified Specialist, Second Floor, 4 Dawson street. Hours: 10-5. Telephone 43833. X

HEARSE Rails and Crestings. Illustrations on request.—Fox, Mavers, Wellington quay, Dublin. 2 X

KILLYMOON CASTLE, CO. TYRONE, is the Historic Irish Mansion featured in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES" to-day. Price twopence. 23 F

NAME and Memorial Tablets cast or engraved.—Fox, Limited, Wellington quay, Dublin. 5 X

WIRELESS—Super Aerial—Earth Unit—See the illustrated article in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES" to-day. 23 F

YOUNG Man would like to spend Holiday with Protestant family.—M 510, this office. 23 F

An outbreak of fire at Kilgobbin Castle, Co. Dublin, caused some damage to the castle before it was extinguished by the Dun Laoghaire Fire Brigade yesterday morning.

STOCK MARKETS CLOSE THE WEEK IN GOOD STYLE

LONDON

Recent firmness on the London Stock market was undiminished yesterday, and a most satisfactory week concluded in good style, with British Rails showing up well, following the interim dividend statements. Business generally was rather less brisk than on the previous day, but buying on a widespread scale was again in progress, and while Gilt-edged securities made fresh headway, numerous Industrial leaders continued to change hands at rising prices. Courtaulds were notably active on the announcement of an increased interim, and Tobaccos, Breweries and Steels all remained in the limelight. The advance in Oil shares also went on, and in response to further lively demand, much of which was on Cape account, Kaffirs developed a strong tendency.

Turnover in Gilt-edged stocks was by no means extensive, but dealers encountered a steady inflow of modest investment orders, and consequently quotations were able to exhibit an upward trend throughout the session. Old Consols gained ¼ to 72¾, and several other issues, including old War Loan, finished ⅛ to the good. Conversion 3 p.c. was quoted 100¾ ex interest. India stocks preserved a quiet appearance and, with few exceptions, Dominion and Colonial issues were left at their previous closing rates.

Foreign Bonds experienced a continuance of dreary conditions, and the only noteworthy alteration on balance was a rise of ⅜ to 10½ in Brazilian 6½ p.c. of 1927.

There was little doing in British Rails during the opening stages, but the market showed no signs of relinquishing its firm tone, and following the dividends the recent advance was resumed. Actual support was limited, however, and fresh gains were partly due to the continued scarcity of supplies. Best levels were not always held to the end, but, even so, quotations presented an attractive appearance, with L.M.S. Prefs. especially firm. Foreign Rails remained idle.

COURTAULDS RISE ON THE DIVIDEND

OTHER LEADING EQUITIES FORGE AHEAD

Although business was on a modest scale in the Industrial market, this did not retard the improvement in prices. Interest again centred around the leading Equities.

Attention was largely directed to Courtaulds, following the increase in the interim dividend from 2 to 2½ per cent., and the price of the Ordinary stock closed 9d. higher at 27/-. British Celanese issues were marked up in sympathy, the Ordinary to 3/9 and the Second Preference to 12/6. J. and P. Coats put on 6d., and Lancashire Cotton also showed this improvement, but Wardle and Davenport weakened to 16/3.

Tobacco shares continued in demand, and fresh buyers were about for Breweries, Stores, Iron and Steel shares and Electricals.

In the Tobacco section "Bats" and "Imps" finished ⅛ higher at 3⅝ and 4⅜ respectively, while gains of 1/16 were recorded by Carreras "A," Gallahers and T.S.T. Ordinary. Among Breweries, Watney Deferred rose 2/- to 43/-, Ind Coope 1/6 to 60/-, Charringtons 1/- to 45/-, Bass 9d. to 102/-, with Guinness another 1/3 up at 65/-.

Iron, Coal and Steel shares were again well supported from the provinces. Swan Hunter jumped 2/6 to 23/9, and John Brown rose 1/6 to 20/6. Dorman Long 1/-, Sheepbridge 1/3 to 36/3, Shipley 1/-, South Durhams 1/3, Tubes 1/3, and United Steels 9d., with Vickers 3d. up at 13/6.

Both the Electrical Equipment and Supply shares showed several small gains, and some fair advances were seen among Aircrafts and Motors. Woolworths claimed pride of place in the Stores group with a further rise of 2/- to 55/-, while in the Provision section Cerebos strengthened to 6, and Manbre and Garton to 47/-.

In other directions Associated Cements improved to 2½, Boots Drug to 37/6, British Aluminium to 33/9, Oxygens to 2½, Imperial Chemicals to 25/3, Ranks to 15/3, Turner and Newall to 2½, United Molasses to 19/6, Sudans to 18/-. Cable and Wireless Ordinary to 37, and P. and O. Deferred to 17/-. Lever and Unilever at 20/6 were 6d. better.

GOLD SHARES IN THE LIMELIGHT

WHY PRICES TOOK FRESH UPWARD TURN

Mining shares again made good headway all round yesterday. Gold shares particularly were in better demand, West Africans and Australians, besides Kaffirs, coming more into the picture. The movement was largely the result of resumed investment buying, which in turn assumed very largely an "inflation hedge" character. At the same time, dealers generally continued to emphasise the comparative smallness of turnover.

The Cape remained a potential buyer of its Kaffirs favourites, but the rise in prices here often precluded the possibility of actual business with that centre. On balance quotations finished with an impressive array of gains, closing levels being pretty well at the best.

"Sallies" and Grootvlei were both again prominent, with rises of 3/16, and advances of ⅛ were secured by Daggas, Geduld, Kleinfonteins and Nourse. Simmers stood out with a rise of 9d. at 16s. 3d., but there were many other producers to finish with useful improvements. Anglo-American at 1 5/32, and Gold Fields at 1 11/32 were the best of the Finance issues; and among Developing Mines W. Reefs moved ahead well to 12s. 1½d.

Far West Rand shares were firm without much change. A general improvement took place in West Africans, Ashanti at 2, Bibiani at 12s. 9d., and Taquah and Abosso at ⅛ benefiting most, and there was a notable revival of interest in Westralians. Lake Views improved 1s. 3d. to 16s. 3d., smaller gains occuring in a few others.

In the Diamond list De Beers Defd. put on another ⅛ to 3½, but that was the only change of any consequence. Interest in Base Metal issues was small. Rhodesian Coppers, however, remained very firm, fresh rises being seen in Nchangas at 4½, Roan at 11s. 3d., and Selection Trust at 6s. 6d. Barriers, too, were making fresh headway, Broken Hill South New, North and Zincs all hardening fractionally.

Exceptionally Tin shares were neglected, the only worth-while movements being a further advance in Beralts to 3s. 7½d.

KEEN DEMAND FOR OIL PREFERENCES

The firmer trend in Oil shares which was apparent on the two preceding days continued yesterday and, indeed, was more pronounced. There was, however, no noticeable increase in the volume of business. Nevertheless it was demonstrated that where demand existed little stock was available to meet it, and consequently prices quickly responded to buying of only moderate lines of shares.

A feature was a keen demand for the Preference shares of leading companies, which was attributed to the satisfactory yields obtainable at current levels. Anglo-Iranian Mines were prominent with an advance of 1/6, while the Eights improved 6d. and "Shell" Sevens gained 1/-.

Among the recognised leaders "Shells" responded to only a modest demand which found stock in poor supply. The price of the £1 units rose 1/16 to 21/6. Trinidad issues had a firm appearance.

FIRM TONE IN RUBBERS

Business in Rubber shares was still confined to an extremely narrow range of issues and the lines of shares dealt in were in most cases too small to influence the quotations of the shares concerned. The tone of the market, however, was firm and small gains were scored by Anglo-Dutch, Allied Sumatras and certain other leaders.

DUBLIN

Markets closed the week on the Dublin Stock Exchange with quite a busy appearance yesterday, and the firm conditions in evidence for the past few days were well maintained right up to the finish. Leading Industrials were still favoured, and some popular counters made fresh headway.

There was good buying of Home Government Funds, and Conversion Loan and Financial Agreement Loan both rose 5/-. New Land Bonds shaded off to 101⅞, but the 4 p.c. Bonds moved up to 99¾. 3½ p.c. War Loan declined to 99 7/16, but Corporation issues held up well. Banks were unchanged, apart from Nationals, which eased to 27/9.

Guinness units were again one of the chief centres of attraction, and strong support resulted in a further advance of 1/9 to 65/3. Distillers Ord. were raised to 56/9. Great Southern Deb. advanced a point, but Alliance Gas Deb. lost 1½ points at 92. Goulding Ord. and Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. shed pence, and Irish Dunlop Pref. relapsed 1/- to 24/-. Hammond Lane Ord. hardened to 26/3 and Goodbody Pref. to 23/1½.

There was no falling off in the demand for Tobaccos, and B.A.T. Ord. spurted to 73/6, while Imperial Tobaccos jumped 2/3 to 92/9. Imperial Chemical Ord. rose to 24/6, and other favourites, although failing to change hands here, advised generally higher from the other side.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS—3½ p.c. Fourth National Loan (97) 97; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (102½) 102¾; do. (under £200) (102¼) 102½; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (99½) 99¾; do. (Deed) (99¼) 99½; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (103½) 103½; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (105¾) 105¾; do. (under £200) (105½) 105½; do. New (102) *101⅞; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (99⅝) 99¾; do. (under £200) (99⅝) 99⅝, and Irish Sugar 4 p.c. Deb. (98½) 98½. BRITISH FUNDS—3½ p.c. War Loan (99½) 99⅛ 7/16; do. (Deed) 99 7/16; do. (under £200) (99¼) 99¼, and 2½ p.c. Consols 72⅝. CORPORATION STOCKS—Dublin 4 p.c. 1960/85 (91) 91; do. 4¼ p.c. 1955/77 (96¼) 96¼b, and do. 4½ p.c. 1950/75 (100) *100.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (241½) 241½; National (28/-) 27/9, and Provincial Old (29/-) 29/-. BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES—Distillers Ord. 56/9; Dublin Distillers Deb. (85) 85, and Guinness Ord. (63/6) *64/6 65/- 65/- 65/6 65/3. RAILS, TRAMS, ETC.—Great Northern Deb. (39½) 39½b; Great Southern Deb. (40) 41; Dublin Tram Ord. (8/3) 8/-b, and do. Pref. (18/9) 18/6b. GAS—Alliance Gas Ord. (20/-) 20/-b 20/6a, and do. Deb. (93½) *92. BAKERY AND MILLING—Ranks (Ireland) Pref. (23/-) 23/-b 23/6a.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Carroll Ord. (22/3) 22/3a; do. Pref. (21/6) 21/6b 22/-a; Cement Pref. (26/3) 26/-b; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (4/10½) *5/- 4/10½; General Textiles (12/6) 11/-a; Goodbody Pref. (22/9) 23/1½; Goulding Ord. (21/6) *21/3; Halliday (J.) Pref. 14/-a; Hammond Lane Ord. (26/-) *26/3; Independent Ord. (35/-) 35/-a; Irish Cinema Pref. (11/-) 11/-b 11/6a; Irish Dunlop Pref. (25/-) 24/- 24/-; Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. (28/6) 28/3, and Yam Seng Rubbers (1/9) 1/3b 1/9a.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS—B.A.T. Ord. 73/6; Baldwins Ord. 3/10½; Imperial Chemical Ord. 24/6, do. Pref. 29/6; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (90/6) 91/3 92/9; Lancashire Elec. 6 p.c. 1st Pref. 30/-; Lever 7 p.c. Pref. (22/6) 22/9; do. 8 p.c. Pref. 20/-, and Standard Motor Ord. 8/9.

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Previous prices in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE

Irish Banks' Rate (changed Oct. 26, 1939)	3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	3½ %
Deposits under £2,000	1 %
Deposits of £2,000 and over	1¼ %

The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

CHANGES ON WEEK

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the prices recorded or dealt in on July 19th:—

RISES.

	Price July 19.	Price July 26.	
Fourth National Loan	96	97	+1
Conversion Loan	102¼	102¾	+½
Agreement Loan	99¼	99½	+¼
Exchequer Bonds	103	103½	+½
4½ p.c. Land Bonds	105¼	105¾	+½
4 p.c. Land Bonds	98¾	99¾	+1
Agricl. Credit 5 p.c. (2nd Series)	102½	103	+½
Irish Sugar Deb.	97¼	98½	+1¼
3½ p.c. War Loan	98 7/16	99 7/16	+1
Dublin Corp. 5 p.c. 1950/1970	101½	102	+½
Dub. P. and D. 5 p.c. Bridge	96 11/16	98	+1 5/16
Bank of Ireland	241	241½	+½
Guinness Ord.	54/7½	65/3	+10/7½
G.N.R. Deb.	39	39½	+½
G.S.R. Deb.	40½	41	+½
Bolands Pf.	10½	11	+½
Johnston, Mooney Ord.	25/9	26/0	+0/3
Cement Ord.	25/6	26/0	+0/6
Clondalkin Paper Ord.	4/9	4/10½	+0/1½
Hammond Lane Ord.	26/0	26/3	+0/3
Irish Sugar Pref.	22/0	22/3	+0/3
L. Jordan Ord.	21/6	23/0	+1/6
B.A. Tobacco	63/3	73/6	+10/3
Courtaulds	24/3	25/6	+1/3
Imperial Chemical	22/6	24/6	+2/0
Imperial Tobacco	81/0	92/9	+11/9

FALLS.

	Price July 19.	Price July 26.	
4½ p.c. New Land Bonds	102	101⅞	−⅛
Dublin Corp. 3½ p.c. 1955/1980	85½	85	−½
Dublin Corp. 4 p.c. 1960/1985	92	91	−1
Hibernian Bank	7⅜	7¼	−⅛
Mun. and Lein. Bank	86/9	85/0	−1/9
Guinness Pref.	13	12¾	−¼
G.S.R. Pref.	9¼	8	−1¼
Assoc. Choc. Deb.	9	8½	−½
Irish Dunlop Pref.	25/0	24/0	−1/0
Sunbeam Wolsey Ord.	28/6	28/3	−0/3

COMPANY NOTICES.

THE HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED.
Incorporated in Ireland.

Notice is hereby given that the next Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office, College Green, Dublin, on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1940, at One o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts for the half-year ended 30th June, 1940.

Notice is also hereby given that the transfer books of the company will be closed from the 16th July to the 29th July, both days inclusive.

GEORGE ROCHE, General Manager.
27 College Green, Dublin.
5th July, 1940.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Dealings prohibited. ǁ Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	72½	73	+¼
Do. 4%	107½	107⅝	+⅛
3½% War Loan	99½	99⅝	+⅛
War Loan 3% fully paid	100⅝	100⅝	
Funding Loan	110½	110⅝	+⅛
Victory Bonds	109¼	109¾	+½
3% Conversion Loan	100½	101*	
3½% do.	99⅞	100⅛	+⅛
5% do.	108⅝	108⅞	+¼
2¾% Land (1903)	78	78½	
I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds	104	106	
India 3%	79	79½	
Do 3½%	91½	91¾	
Local Loans	85¼	85¾	
National Def. 2½%	100⅝	100⅞	

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Aust.		Qld.	
5% '45-75	102	5% '40-60	100½
4% '55-70	100	S. Af.	
3½% '48-53	97½	3% '54-64	93
Can.		3½% '55-65	99
4% '40-60	100	S. Aust.	
N.S.W.		5% '45-75	101½
5% '45-65	101½	4% '40-60	98½
4% '42-62	98½	Vic.	
N.Z.		4% '40-60	98½
3% '52-55	84½	5% '45-75	101½
3½% '55-60	92¾	W. Aust.	
Nigr. 6%	113½	5% '45-75	101
		4% '42-62	98½

BRITISH RAILS.

Security.	Price.	Rise or Fall.	Security.	Price.	Rise or Fall.
Gt. Western	32		Do. 1st Pref.	33½	+1
Do. 5% Pref.	78	+1	Do. 2nd Pref.	10½	
L.M.S. Ord.	13¾		L.P.T.B.5%A	113	
Do. 4% Pref.	50½	+2	Do. 4½% "A"	107	
Do. 5% Rd. Pf.	69½	+2	Do. "B"	104½	
Do.4%Pf.'23	38½	+1	Do. "C"	31½	+1
L.N.E.Pf.Od.	2⅞		Sth. Pf. Ord.	49½	+1
Do. Def.	1⅜		Do. Def. Ord.	10¾	
			Do. 5% Pref.	78	+2

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Ar.Gt.W.5% Deb.	21½		B.A. & West	3	
B.A. Mid.4% Deb.	54	−3½	Do. 4% Db.	37	
B.A. Gt. Sth.	4		Can. Pacific	5¼‡	
Do. 4% Db.	41		Do. 4% Db.	85½	
B.A. & Pac. 4% Deb.	52½	−4½	C.Arg.4%Db.	34	−1
Do.Con.4½% Deb.	10½		Do. 5% Db. 79-81	34	−1
			Cord. 1st Db.	60½	
			Gd.Tk.4%Gr	100½	
			San Paulo	29	
Bahia Blanca Guar.	39½	−2			

FOREIGN BONDS.

Braz. 6½% '27	10½	+⅜	Do. 5% '12	10
Do. 5% Fd '98	30		Czecho-Slov.	25‡
Do. 20Yr A	32½		Egypt. Uni.	53
Do. 40Yr B	20		French Loan	8*‡
Chi. 4½%'98	29		German Pot.	12
			Jpn. 6% '24	28
			Do.5½% Cv.	44‡

BANKS.

Bk. of Eng.	325		Midland	6 11/16
Bk.of Mont'l	45		Nat. Prov	32/6
Barclay A.	9¼	−⅛	Stand. S.A.	10⅛
Lloyds	41/6		Westminster	63/6
Martins	6⅝		Do.£4,£1pd	61/6
Chartered of India	6½	+½		
Hong Kong & Shanghai	68	+2		
Union of Australia	4½	−¼		

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

Bass Ratcliff	102/0	+0/9	Guinness	65/0	+1/3
Br. of Van.	19/0‡		Ind Coope	60/0	+1/6
Distillers	56/0		Watney Def.	43/0	+2/0
Courage Ord.	45/0	+1/0			
South African Breweries.	86/0	+0/6			

DRAPERY AND STORES.

Burton	¼		Marks & S.	33/9	+0/6
Gamage	8/0	+0/6	O.K. Bars. A	⅞	
Harrods	27/6	+0/6	Woolworth	55/0	+2/0

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

City of Lond.	21/0	+1/0	Edmundsons	21/6	+0/3
Co. of Lond.	26/3	+0/6	Lancashire	25/0	
Metropolitan	26/6	+0/3			
Midland Counties	27/0	+0/3			
North Eastern	21/0	+0/6			
Yorkshire Ord.	1½	+1/16			

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

Assoc. Elec.	36/0	+0/6	E. Rdy. G.B.	20/6	
Br. Insuld.	3⅝		Genl. Elec.	67/0	+0/6
Callenders	2½		Henley's Tel	15/6	
Crom.Park'n	15/0	+0/6	Siemens	17/0	
English Elec	23/0		J'nson & Ph.	36/3	

INSURANCE.

AllianceNew	15	Prudential	19½	+¼
Ldn. & Lan.	19	R. Exchange	6¼	
Pearl	10¼	Royal	6¼	
Phœnix £10	10	Sun Life	4¾	

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

Allied Iron	7/16		Guest Keen.	20/9	+0/3
Babcock&W.	32/0	−0/3	Hadfields	18/6	+0/9
Baldwins	4/1½	+0/1½	Pease & P.	8/3	+0/3
Bolsover Col	39/0		Powell Duff.	12/6	
Brown(John)	20/6	+1/6	PressedSteel	8/9	
B.S.A.	15/9	+0/3	Ruston & H.	21/3	+0/9
Cammell Ld.	5/4½	+0/1½	Sth. Durham	27/6	+1/3
Colvilles	16/0	+0/3	Staveley	40/6	+0/6
Consett Iron	5/6	+0/3	Stew & L.Df.	35/0	+0/3
Cory (Wm.)	3 5/16		Thomas (R.)	2/1½	
DormanLong	16/9	+1/0	Utd. Steel	17/0	+0/9
Firth Brown	2¼		Vickers	13/6	+0/3
Amal. Anthracite				0/4½	−0/1½
Amal. Metal Ord.				12/6	+0/6

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

15/6	Forestal Land	19/0	21/0
17/6	Hudson's Bay	22/6	23/6
23/3	Sudan Plantations	17/6	18/3	+0/9

MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

Austin (5/-)	13/0		Hawker Sid.	9/3	+0/3
Boulton&Pl.	5/16		Leyland	2 9/16	+1/16
Bristol Aero.	8/9	+0/3	Morris	18/6	+0/3
DeHavilland	1 5/16		Rolls Royce	2 15/32	
Fairey Avn.	9/6		Standard	9/0	+0/3
Ford	15/0		Tilling (T.)	1⅜	
— Handley Pge. Pf.	1 1/16				

OILS.

A.-Iranian	1 9/16	+1/32	Lobitos	1 5/16	
Do. 8% 1st Pref.	23/6	+0/6	London and Thames H.	5/0	
Do. 9% 2nd Pref.	22/6	+1/6	Mex. Eagle	3/7½	−0/3
Apex (Trin.)	18/6	+0/3	Phœnix	1/3*	
Attock	1½	+1/32	Royal Dutch	21‡	
Burmah	2 9/32		Shell	1¼	+1/16
Can Eagle	4/0‡		Trinidad L.	2 13/16	
Kern Oil	2/9		Do.Pet.Dv.	37/0	+0/6
			V.O.C. Hlds.	21/6	+1/6
Anglo-Ecuadorian	14/6	+0/3			
Anglo-Egyptian B	1¼	+⅛			
Brit. Borneo Pet. (6/0).	7/3	+0/3			
Can. Eagle 1st Pref.	14/3	−0/1½			
Shell T. 7% Pref.	23/6	+1/0			
V.O.C. 7% Pref.	1⅛	+1/16			

RUBBERS.

Allagar	0/6		L. Asiatic	2/9
All. Sum.	8/0	+0/3	Malacca	10/0
Anglo-Dutch	15/3	+0/3	Malayalam	21/4½
A.-Java 1/-	0/6		Merliman P.	2/3
Anglo-Malay	5/6	+0/6	Orient Trust	8/1½
Batu Tiga	20/0		Pataling	26/0
Bukit Mert	1/10½		Rambutan	0/9
Cent. Perak	1/4½		Rubber Tst.	22/6
Chersonese	1/1½		Sedenak	21/0*
Cheviot	2/6		S. Siput	1/7½
Cicely	1/10½		Taiping	0/10½
Djasinga	6/6		Tandjong	9/4½
Gid Hope	12/10½		Do. Malim	7/0
Grand Cent.	7/9		Telogoredjo.	8/9
Highlands	16/9		U.SuaBet'ng	37/6
Java Amal.	7/6		Un. Sum. 1/-	0/4½
Jugra Lands	6/0		Vallambrosa	5/0
Kuala Lump.	13/9		Yam Seng	1/7½

NEWSPAPERS.

Allied News.	8/6	+0/6	Dly.Mail Tst.	9/0
Assoc. Def.	4/3		Sun.Pictorial	10/6
"Daily Mirror" Ord.	5/0	+0/3		

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

Aerated B.	[illegible]		Lyons (J.)	3½
Bovril Def.	17/6		Maypole Def	1/6
Home & Col.	3/0		Scribbans	2/6	+0/3
Internat. Tea	9/9		Schweppes	1 1/16

SHIPPING.

Coast Lines.	4/9		Furness W.	12/9	
Clan Line	8¾	+¼	P. & O. Def	17/0	+1/0

TEXTILES AND ART. SILK.

Bleachers	2/7½		Courtaulds	27/0	+0/9
Brad. Dyers.	3/0		Eng. Cotton	1¼	
Br. Celanese.	3/9	+0/6	Fine Spin.	3/1½	
Calico Print.	3/1½		Lister	4/0	
Can. Celan.	5¼‡		Patons & B.	2 3/16	
Coats	27/0	+0/6	Whitworth & M.		

TEAS.

Dimbula Valley	[illegible]	+1/16
Imperial	[illegible]	+1/16

TOBACCOS.

4 15/32	Brit. Amer. Tob.	3⅝	3¾	+⅛
6¼	Carreras "A"	3⅞	4¼	+1/16
15/3	Do. "B" (2/6).	9/6	11/0	+1/0
6¼	Gallaher	3½	3⅝	+1/16
6 7/16	Imp. Tobacco	4⅜	4⅜	+⅛
3⅝	Do. Canada	2⅞	3⅛‡	
2¾	Tobacco Tst. Ord.	2	2¼	+1/16
	Cope Bros.	2⅛	2⅜	+1/16

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES.

84	C.&W'less 5½% Pf.	75	77	
48	Do. New Ord.	35	39	+1
97	Do. 4% Funded	94	98	
28/0	Marconi Marine.	18/0	20/0	
8½	Radio Corp.	6⅞	7⅛	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

Assd.Cement	2½	+1/16	Harland&W.	8/0	+0/3
Assd.Br.Pic.	5/7½	+0/1½	Imp. Chem.	25/3	+1/0
Beechams	1⅜	+⅛	Imp. Smeltg.	6/3	
Do Defd.	7/3	+0/3	Int. Combus.	4	
Boots Drug.	37/6	+1/0	Int Nickel.	37¼‡	
Borax Def.	1⅛		Lever & Un.	20/6	+0/6
Braz. Tract.	5¼‡		Lever N.V.		
Brit. Alum.	33/9	+1/3	Do. 8% Pf.	1 1/32	+1/32
Brit. Match.	25/6		Do. 7% Pf.	1 5/32	+1/32
Brit.Oil Cake	1⅛		London Brk	30/0	
Brit. Oxygen	2 11/16	+1/16	Murex	3⅛	
Br. Pistr.Bd.	7/6		Pye Def.	7/6	
Br. P. Cem.	2¾		Reckitt	3 13/16	+1/16
Br. P. & L.	21/0		Spillers	2 5/16	
Cerebos	6¾	+⅛	Tate & Lyle	44/0	
Crittal Mfg.	4/6		TriplexGlass	16/6	+1/0
Dunlop Rub.	27/3	+0/3	Tube Invest.	72/6	+1/3
Eastwoods	¾		Turner & N.	2¾	+⅛
E.&Mus.Ind.	6/6	+0/3	U. Molasses	19/6	+1/0
Finlay (J.)	41/0		Wall Ppr. D.	1 7/32	
			Wht. To'kins	1 7/16	
I.C.I.				29/0	+0/6
Wiggins Teape Ord.				1⅛	+1/16

SOUTH AFRICAN MINES.

Ang.-Amer.	1 5/32	+1/16	New State A	1½	+1/16
Ang.-French	9/16		Nigel	5¾	
Blyvoor	3/6		Nourse	1⅞	+⅛
Brakpan	1¾		Palmietkuil.	2/3	
C. Mining	10		Rand Mines	6½	
City Deep	2⅛	+1/16	Rand Selec.	½	
Cons. G.F.	1 11/32	−5/32	Randftn.Est	1 7/32	+1/32
Cons. M.R.	3	+1/16	Rob. Deep B	2 3/16	
Cons. M. Sel.	7/16		Rose Deep	1 11/16	
Crown	12½		Simmer & J.	16/3	+0/9
Daggaf'tein.	1¾	+⅛	S.A. Land	4 3/16	+3/16
Durban Dp	2¼	+1/16	S.A. Town	3/9	+0/3
East Dagga.	1 7/16	+1/32	S.W. Africa.	15/16	
East Geduld	8	+⅛	Spaarwater	1/3	+0/1½
E.Rand Prp.	1 21/32		Springs	15/16	+1/32
Geduld	5½		Sub Nigel	7⅝	−⅛
Gelden Dp.	1 1/16		Union Corp.	5½	+⅛
Gen. Mining	2¾		Van D. Con.	1 3/32	−1/32
Govt. Areas	1 11/32		Van Ryn	½	
Grootvlei	3 11/16	+3/16	Do. Deep.	⅞	
J'burg Cons	1 7/16		Venterspost.	1 3/16	+1/32
Kleinf'tein.	2	+⅛	Vereeniging.	1 13/16	
Knights	1⅞		Vogels'bult.		
Langlaagte.	7/6	+1/0	Vlakfontein.	½	
Lebanon	5/3		West. Hldg.	8/0	
Luipaards V.	14/9		West Rand	1 13/32	+1/32
Marievale	14/0	+0/3	Western Rfs	12/1½	+0/7½
Modder.	13/16		W. Springs	1 11/16	+1/32
Do. East	3⅛		West Wit. A.	2 3/16	
N.Cent.Wit.	0/6		Wit. Deep	13/16	
Lace Prop.				⅞	+1/16

COPPER.

10	Rio Tinto (£5)	5	6

MISCELLANEOUS.

8/1½	Burma Corp.	7/3	7/9
39/0	Champion Reef	1 5/32	1 13/32

RHOD. AND EAST AFRICAN.

1 13/16	Cam and Motor	⅞	1	
19/9	Chartered B.S.A.	15/3	16/3	+0/3
27/0	Globe-Phœnix	15/16	1 1/16	
3/9	London Rhod.	1/10½	2/4½	
11/0	Rezende	3/16	¼	
21/6	Rhod A Am.	10/3	10/9	+0/1½
14/0	Rhod. Selection	8/3	8/9	
11¼	Rhokana	6⅛	6⅜	
15/6	Roan Antelope	11/0	11/6	+0/4½
13/0	Selection Trust	6/3	6/9	+0/3
3¼	Victoria Falls Ord.	3 1/16	3 5/16	
15/0	Wankie Col.	7/0	8/0	+0/7½

DIAMOND.

Aug. 31.				
8/6	Cons. Af. Sel.	5/6	6/6	+0/3
6/0	Cons. S.W. Af. Pf.	4/3	5/3	
5½	De Beers Def.	3⅜	3⅝	+⅛
8¼	Do. Pref.	5¾	6¼	

AUSTRALIAN.

2½	B. Hill Prop.	1 17/32	1 19/32	
19/0	Do. South New	27/32	29/32	+1/32
8/0	Great Boulder	5/3	5/9	+0/4½
18/6	Lake View Star	16/0	16/6	−1/3
13/6	Lake View Inv.	½	⅝	
1 23/32	Nth. Broken Hill.	1 5/16	1⅜	+1/32
1 25/32	Sons of Gwalia	1 5/16	1 7/16	
¾	South Kalgurli	19/32	21/32	
6/0	Sulphide Ord.	3/9	4/3	
8/0	Wiluna Gold	2/9	3/3	
3	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	2	2⅛	+1/16

TIN.

4/6	Amal. Tin	5/3	5/9
17/6	Ayer Hitam	13/16	15/16
8/3	Bisichi	5/6	6/0
7/6	Gopeng	7/3	8/3
17/9	Ipoh	1 1/16	1 3/16
7/9	Kamunting	8/3	9/3
7/0	Kram't Pul	5/16	⅜
3/0	London Tin	3/0	3/3*
25/7½	Malayan T.D.	1⅜	1½
11/3	Pahang (5/-)	14/9	15/9
14/9	Petaling	29/32	31/32
16/3	Tronoh (5/-)	⅞	15/16

WEST AFRICAN.

11/3	Ariston	5/3	5/9	+0/1½
3 5/16	Ashanti (4/-)	1 15/16	2 1/16	+⅛
25/0	Bibiani	12/3	13/3	+0/6
19/6	G. Coast Sel.	7/10½	8/4½	+0/1½
1 5/32	Kwahu (2/-)	7/16	9/16	
9/1	Marlu Gold	5/1½	5/7½	+0/1½

Research committees are being set up in Nairobi to investigate the possibilities of power alcohol and munitions manufacture in East Africa, an official announcement stated yesterday. It is likely that a central body, with wider powers and representing all territories covered by the East African Governors Conference system will be created later.

COMPANY MEETING.

MUNSTER AND LEINSTER BANK

"FARMERS SHOULD HAVE LITTLE CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT"

MR. JOHN M. MAXWELL presided at the one hundred and ninth ordinary general meeting of the Munster and Leinster Bank, held at the Head Office, South Mall, Cork, yesterday.

The other directors present were:—Messrs. Thomas Dennehy Hallinan, Right Hon. Sir Stanley Harrington, Charles Eustace Murphy, William Reid Ogilvie, John Francis Punch, Cornelius William Walsh, general manager; A. E. Hosford, Secretary, were also present.

The shareholders present were:—Mrs. Mary Murray, Messrs. Maurice Kidney, Cobh; Jeremiah Collins, Owen Binchy, John Dwyer, Coachford; W. R. Daly, George Atkinson, M. Hurley, Joseph Coleman, Daniel O'Connor, Copstown; M. McCormack, W. T. O'Sullivan, J. F. McKiernan, W. S. Harrington, Richard Healy, John O'Regan, Midleton; William Bird, Patrick Collins, Dr. Jeremiah Ryan, John V. Healy, Mrs. M. J. Bateman, Miss Henrietta Evans, Miss Cecilia Noonan.

"BE PREPARED"

The Chairman said—Ladies and gentlemen, I have much pleasure in presenting to you to-day the report and statement of accounts of this bank for the half-year ended 30th June, 1940. They have been in your hands for the statutory pediod, and, with your permission, I will take them as read.

The period of tension and anxiety created by the European War continues, and it would be futile to attempt to foretell what the future developments might be. However, it is clearly the duty of all of us here in Eire to be ready for any emergency, and the best method of being prepared, as far as banks and similar financial institutions are concerned, is to be as liquid as possible. This desirable position we have accomplished to a very large extent, but our shareholders should realise that to do so necessitates the retention of a very large amount of cash which is non-interest bearing and this results in a lessening in our profits. Increased income tax and the cost of living bonus payable to our officials this year under the Arbitration Award of 1920 are also factors which are materially affecting our earnings; and I feel sure that, in the circumstances, our shareholders will not be displeased with the figures put before them to-day.

PROFIT AND DIVIDEND

The profits for the half-year, after making the fullest provision for all bad and doubtful debts and for all contingencies that it is possible for us to foresee, amount to £59,614, a figure which shows a decrease of only £5,870 when compared with a year ago, notwithstanding the adverse factors already mentioned by me. Adding to our profits the balance of £41,894 brought forward from last account we are given an available sum of £101,508 with which to deal.

We now propose to pay a dividend at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, free of tax, and, after transferring £12,500 to contingencies account, applying £5,000 to premises account and the placing of £5,000 to staff pension fund, there will remain a balance of £41,508 to be carried forward to next account. I would like, however, to remind our shareholders that, while the rate of dividend recommended has again been somewhat reduced, they are still in the happy position of having the income tax, even at the increased level, paid for them by the bank.

STRONG LIQUID POSITION

Deposit, current and other accounts at £24,430,613 show an increase of £280,605 when compared with a year ago. At our meeting in July last the chairman referred to a substantial amount of public moneys held by us very temporarily awaiting utilisation, and I am glad to say that, while this large sum has been withdrawn, it has been replaced by credits which we believe will be of a much more permanent character. The results under this heading are all the more striking when it is pointed out that during the past year deposit and credit balances were drawn upon when the Government floated a loan of seven million pounds in which not only the bank's clients, but the bank itself, participated to no small degree.

On the assets side of our balance sheet we continue to show, under the different headings, evidence of the strong liquid position of the bank. Our holdings of cash and money at call, together with our investments, amount in the aggregate to £14,566,697, a decrease of £302,821 when compared with a year ago, and they represent a sum which is equivalent to over fifty-seven per cent. of our total obligations to the public, including liability for our consolidated note issue.

PERIOD OF TENSION

Our investments, consisting mainly of Irish and British Government Stocks, have recovered somewhat in value, and, while at present, at all events, there would seem to be no necessity for the special reserve of £200,000 appearing in the balance sheet, nevertheless, we deem it expedient to retain it there while the period of tension and uncertainty continues.

Advances at £12,168,563 have increased by £592,378 when compared with a year ago, thus indicating that we have not been backward in helping our clients and in facilitating them in the purchase of additional stocks during a period of emergency. As usual, the position in regard to all our advances has been carefully investigated, and the most ample provision made for all bad and doubtful debts.

Bank premises account at £380,244 remains more or less at the same figure as a year ago, the provision made in the interval being sufficient for the proper maintenance of our various offices. During the half-year we have opened new and more commodious premises in Dungannon, and we expect to have our new premises in Clonmel completed very shortly.

HOPE OF GOOD HARVEST

The second half of the year has now opened with every prospect of a good harvest, and, granted an adequate return for their crops, the farming community, who have already benefited somewhat owing to the enhanced price of cattle, should, it is hoped, have little cause for complaint.

Industrial ventures are, however, faced with increasing difficulties in the obtainment of raw materials, and the banks have already been helpful in financing them towards the accumulation of reserve stocks to meet emergencies.

Before concluding, ladies and gentlemen, I am sure you will agree that our officials, who play such an important part in the conduct of our business, deserve the best thanks of the shareholders, and this will be embodied in a resolution to be submitted before the meeting closes. I do not think it would be out of place to mention that, in response to our Government's recent appeal, special facilities have been made for the release of members of the staff to join the Army. As a result, many of our younger officials are now serving in the Forces, and you will realise, of course, that those of the staff who remain will have to co-operate in facing increased duties to cope with the work and to give the requisite attention to the bank's customers.

VOTE OF THANKS

Having addressed the meeting, the Chairman said that he had great pleasure in proposing "that the report and balance sheet be received, and that a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of income tax, be paid for the half-year ended 30th June, 1940, on £750,000—the paid-up capital of the bank—to those shareholders whose names are now on the register."

Mr. Ogilvie seconded, and the motion was passed unanimously.

On the proposition of Mr. O'Connor, seconded by Mr. Binchy, a vote of thanks was passed to the directors, officers and staff for their efficient service during the half-year.

The Secretary (Mr. Hosford), on behalf of the staff,, acknowledged the resolution.

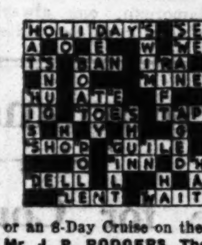
OTHER STOCK EXCHANGES

BELFAST.—3½ p.c. War Loan, 99, 7/16, 11/16; 3 p.c. War Loan, 100⅜; Belfast Corporation 5 p.c (1945) 102⅜, do. 5 p.c. (1946) 102⅜, do. 3½ p.c. (1942) 99½; Belfast Harbour 3½ p.c. (1953), 95; Belfast Water 3½ p.c. (1963), 96; Courtaulds, 26/9; Woolworth, 54/-; Guinness Ord., 64/7½; Imperial Chemical Ord., 24/9; Marks and Spencer "A", 34/-, 34/3; Carreras "B", 10/1½; British-American Tobacco, 73/9; Burmah Oil Ord., 46/3.

MANCHESTER.—Bleachers, 2/6-3/-; Dyers, 2/9-3/3; "Slubbers," 3/9-4/-; Calicos, 2/9-3/3; Coats, 26/-27/-; Courtaulds, 26/9-27/-; Dunlops, 27/-, 27/6; Cottons, 23/6-24/6; Velvet, 3/3-3/9; Spinners, 2/9-3/-; Henry, 6/-7/-; Turner and Newall, 53/9-55/-; Wall Paper Def. 10/6-11/6.

BIRMINGHAM.—Meadows, 8/9; Fisher Ludlow, 15/3; Alvis, 1/4½; Austin "A", 13/1½; Dennis, 11/-; Dunlop, 27/-; Enfield 12/6; Ford, 15/6; Guy, 1/6; Humber, 10/6; Leyland, 50/7½; Lucas, 42/-; Morris, 18/7½; Napier, 4/6; Raleigh, 40/-; Rolls, 53/3; Rovers, 9/9; Singers, 7½d.; Standard, 9/-; Triplex, 18/-.

RESULT of Pennypots Crossword No. 24



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CLUES ACROSS
1. Desired.
5. Starts fussing.
8. Great writer called George Bernard ——.
9. Explorers sometimes have to —— their way through undergrowth.
10. Spendthrift often fails to show much good for money —— to him.
11. Woman sometimes tries to have her place look better than that of friend in —— house.
12. End of "BIT."
13. It is sometimes not easy to stop a horse who tries to ——.
16. Towards.
17. May be terrifying to nervous people.
20. Busy office worker may not care a —— if day is wet.
23. Man will sometimes be condemned for his —— temper.
24. This without a point is usually not of much use.

CLUES DOWN
2. Small island.
3. Stop.
4. Female sheep.
5. Police questioning man may get suspicious if —— is partly hidden.
6. Employ.
7. Man sometimes fails to recognise friend because of ——.
9. Miser may gloat over his great —— of gold.
11. Can give quite a smart pain.
13. Thief with —— pockets may be caught with his spoils.
14. Starts hopping.
15. Sometimes causes upset in house.
17. Lunatic may frighten by the —— look in his eyes.
18. Big business man may make —— of money out of one good deal.
19. Sometimes used to guard.
21. Invalid is sometimes cheered by interesting ——.
22. In crowd man may —— friend an shoulder to attract his attention.

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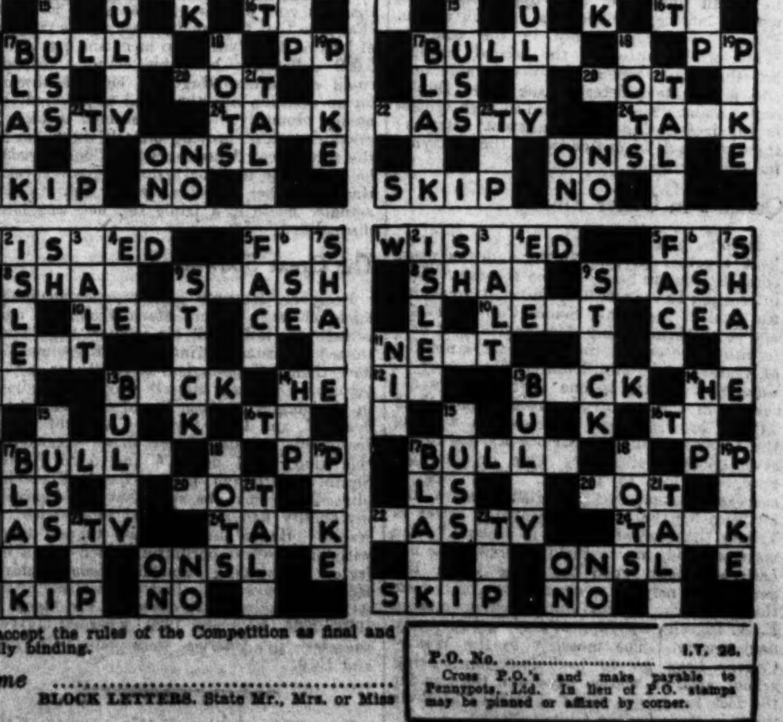

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IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Golf for All Ages : General Sir Frederick Pile
P.E.N. in time of War : The Dunraven Colours
The Hazel Hurst Foundation

Golf Marches On

Golf is becoming increasingly popular. A club secretary in Dublin told me the other day that he reckons there are more playing golf than ever before in the history of the game.

I didn't ask him how he arrived at this opinion, but I do not doubt its accuracy; for almost everybody I know personally now plays the game—good, bad and indifferent!

Probably the most outstanding feature of the game in Ireland in recent years is the revelation that golf has reached down at last to include the youthful element. Not so long ago it was considered, and rightly so, an "elderly" man's game—one to be taken up when the younger sportsmen had hung up their football boots and put away their hockey sticks.

But the old order has changed now, and we find such as F. G. Moran and G. J. Morgan, the Rugby internationals, playing golf, and playing so really well that big futures are predicted for them on the golf course.

Mr. Moran has got his handicap down to three, and Mr. Morgan is, I think, on the eight mark; but of the two the latter, in my opinion, is the more likely to hit the high spots. He has an excellent natural and easy style, and, with his placid temperament, he seems to have all the qualities that go to make the golfer of championship calibre.

Yes, the liberal infusion of youth in our recent championships and competitions is a welcome one. Already James Bruen and Gerald Owens have struck blows for the younger school. More will follow.

London's Defences

I was interested to see that the British censors have allowed the cross-Channel newspapers to print some detailed information about London's defence services—fire and ambulance stations, rescue squads and emergency feeding centres, together with approximate numbers of their attendant staffs. These are controlled by the L.C.C. Civil Defence Committee.

The greatest secrecy is maintained about the ground defences against air attacks, of which very little is known beyond the facts that the anti-aircraft batteries are highly efficient and well-served, and that they are under the direct command of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Frederick Alfred Pile, Bart., C.B., D.S.O., M.C., who was promoted from a command in Egypt to organise this vital arm.

Although he has had, I believe, but little personal connection with Dublin, General Pile belongs to a family well remembered in the city for their civic associations here in the past *régime*. His father, Sir Thomas Devereux Pile, was H.M. Deputy Lieutenant for County Dublin, High Sheriff of Dublin (1898), and Lord Mayor (1900).

It was during Sir Thomas's year of mayoralty that Queen Victoria, making her State visit into Dublin, halted at Eustace Bridge, and there was welcomed by the Lord Mayor, attended by the aldermen and councillors, who presented to her the keys of the city.

The occasion was recorded humorously by Percy French, through the lips of an imaginary deputy assistant-waiter, in "The Queen's Speech":—

"When I came to the ridge," says she,
"Of Leeson street Bridge," says she,
"I was welcomed in style," says she,
"Be me Lord Mayor Pile," says she.

The Dunraven Colours

I did not know until the other day that the officers of the Yeomanry regiments of England sport the colours of the Earl of Dunraven on their uniforms. The reason is, apparently, that the Earl was Colonel of the Glamorganshire Yeomanry, and is still honorary Colonel of that unit.

Although part of the Dunraven pedigree emanates from Glamorgan, one always thinks of the Quin family as the oldest Celtic clan of the Peerage. And for that matter the English Yeomanry regiment I have in mind (not the Glamorganshire) might just as well sport the Dunraven motto, which is in Gaelic, "*Ceann natrac abu*," with its accompanying figure of the serpent of ancient Eire.

There again, perhaps, it might be better if countries nowadays were to adopt birds of the air instead of wild beasts and reptiles for their symbols.

P.E.N. and the Sword

The July *P.E.N. News* is full of interesting news about international writers, and includes a page about Ireland, dealing chiefly with the recent P.E.N. function in Dublin, when Mr. R. M. Smyllie was the guest of honour.

An appeal, signed by the Presidents of French and English P.E.N. centres, says: "We salute all liberal writers of the world—particularly the Polish, Austrian, German and Czech writers exiled in their own or in foreign countries. And the writers in Denmark, Norway, and the Low Countries, who, with the rest of their indomitable countrymen, are upholding a cause that is the cause of all who fight and suffer in defence of the mind and of human dignity."

Since signing the above message, M. Jules Romains, the French President of P.E.N., has himself joined the exiled writers, and is now in New York. The presidency of P.E.N. is now temporarily located in America, though the administration is still carried on from London.

An "Appeal to the Conscience of the World" from the English centre is contained in the July journal. Its gist is as follows: "We ask you to make it clear to people in your country that we, with our allies, are not fighting only for ourselves, but for the belief we share with every man, of any race and religion, who holds that we should respect each other, and that our minds should be free." This appeal is signed by many famous writers, including H. G. Wells, H. W. Nevinson, and Gilbert Murray.

So far the P.E.N. centres in Switzerland and in Dublin have been able to carry on their activities in peace.

Dogs for the Blind

When so much ingenuity and wealth are being put at the service of death and destruction it is pleasant to learn that in California a school has been established at the cost of 15,000 dollars for the training of dogs as guides for the blind.

This school is called the Hazel Hurst Foundation, and owes its existence to the initiative of Miss Hazel Hurst, who is herself blind. She is president, and the school is under her personal direction.

By working as a typist and acting as tutor Miss Hurst worked her way through public schools and graduated through high school, taking a special course at Columbia University. She was helped by Rotary, which gave her her own guide dog, Babe. Of late years she has done much lecturing, particularly directed to encouraging the blind to choose careers for themselves in spite of their handicap.

German shepherd guide dogs are trained at the school, and then the dog, with his prospective master, train together for at least one month. The Foundation does not give up any dog entirely, but retains the right to reclaim it if the applicant decides to give it up or is unable to take proper care of the animal.

The experiment is now in its early stages, and the first group of ten applicants have been received for training. No doubt, the system will extend if the results prove successful. Here in Dublin I have often admired the skilful way in which blind men—from an institution on the North side—find their way across the city with the aid of their white sticks.

Perhaps, as a result of this pioneer work, they will one day share the benefits of this guide dog system.

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A Sportsman's Review

Chance for Country Cricketers : Universities Looking Up : A Great Golf Match

By PAUL DENIS

Waterford's Good Showing

One sport in Ireland which may gain an advantage from the war-time conditions under which we are all living nowadays is cricket in the country districts. As travel to England or Scotland in pursuit of sport is now out of the question, those senior clubs in Dublin who formerly made a tour across Channel may now turn their attention to stimulating cricket throughout the country, where, of course, they can have a very enjoyable time, apart from the cricket. Phœnix, who generally make an expedition to the South-West of England, Gloucester and Somerset, have set an excellent example by going down to Waterford for a two-days match, and it is worthy of note that the local side made a splendid fight of it on the first innings. It was no mean feat to dispose of such a powerful batting side as Phœnix, with D. R. Pigot, J. C. Boucher, F. M. Quinn, all internationals, as well as several others who have made plenty of runs this season, for less than two hundred. It was even better to get to within thirteen of their opponents' total, with a bowler of Boucher's class in action. Phœnix won comfortably in the end, as Waterford collapsed in the second innings, but the match was a highly enjoyable one, and a definite pointer to the other Dublin senior clubs. The crying need in Irish cricket is for free-scoring and consistent batsmen; there may well be one or two of those playing for country teams.

Queen's in Ulster Final

Despite great difficulties, cricket is being kept together in the North, and the usual competitions are being carried through. It is interesting to see Queen's University reaching the final of the Ulster Senior Cup, as I cannot recall them having done anything of note in either the cup or the league for a number of years past. The definite falling-away in university cricket is one of the big weaknesses in this country in recent times, and Trinity have not yet succeeded in winning the Leinster Senior Cup since its institution seven years ago. They were in the final once, but lost to Phœnix. This lack of success is somewhat surprising, since the facilities for the game are probably better in Trinity than anywhere else in Ireland. The material going up to the University has not been especially good for some time; but perhaps we may see a change soon, as I hear that D. Birch, the best schools batsman since E. A. Ingram, may appear for the University next season. The majority of the Wesley College boys go up to Trinity on leaving school, and, as Wesley have won the cup for the last two years, there should be brighter times in store for the University.

"The Willie Nolan Memorial Cup"

The Irish Professional Golfers' Association have paid a fine compliment to the memory of their former hon. secretary and one of their most distinguished members, the late Willie Nolan, by presenting a magnificent trophy this year. It will go to the winner of the Irish Professional Championship, which is being held at Little Island, Cork, on August 21 and 22, and it has been named the "Willie Nolan Memorial Cup." No man worked harder for his colleagues in professional golf than Nolan, and the man who wins the trophy at Little Island for the first time may well feel proud. Incidentally, he will think twice about filling the cup!

Challenge Match in America

Golf in these troubled times is confined mainly to club play in this part of the world. The main event in amateur circles, the Irish Close Championship, is over, and the only big fixture to come is the professional championship; but the news from America, scanty as it is, reveals plenty of activity there. Indeed, the match last week between Walter Hagen's Ryder Cup side and Gene Sarazen's team of challengers was one of the most remarkable ever to take place there. When the bi-annual contest against Great Britain was abandoned this year, the American selectors decided to pay their leading players a compliment and choose the team anyway. When it was published, Sarazen, angered at being dropped for the first time, when he felt that his golf was as good as ever, issued a challenge that he would choose a side capable of beating the Ryder Cup men, and put down 5,000 dollars to back his claim. Nobody could ever accuse Hagen of being backward on an occasion like that, and he covered the money promptly. Sarazen seemed to have a great chance of proving himself right, for in the subsequent American Open Championship he and Little tied for first place, while yet a third member of his team, Ed. Oliver, actually made it a triple tie, but was later disqualified.

The Great Showman

However, Hagen's golf gambles generally come off—even if his Stock Exchange ones sometimes fail—and his Ryder Cup team turned up trumps, winning the foursomes 3-1 and tieing the singles at 4-all for a 7-5 victory. Sarazen himself was overwhelmed in the singles by Sam Snead to the tune of 8 and 7, and Little, whom I thought was a reasonably certain winner on an occasion of this kind, went down 4 and 3 to Horton Smith. Although Hagen was not playing himself, one may be sure that his dominant personality had a great deal to do with the result. He is an inspiration to any team, with his buoyant optimism, which was a big factor in winning him his championships. He was always at his best on this side of the Atlantic, taking first place in the Open in 1922, 1924, 1928 and 1929, whereas his two successes in America were gained in 1914 and 1919.

Tea will go further if the contents of the packet are spread on a sheet of greaseproof paper on the baking tray and dried in a warm oven for five or ten minutes. Dry the tea leaves in the oven after you have finished cooking and turned it off. The retained heat will be sufficient. Store in tightly-capped jars or caddy, when cool. For some peculiar reason metal pots seem to brew stronger tea than china ones. Thoroughly warming the pot first almost makes a better brew. Get used to making just enough tea for your needs.

TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday)—Week-day Choral Services are temporarily suspended during repairs. To-morrow (Sunday)—8, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Psalm, 132. Te Deum Hall in B flat. Processional Hymn, 366. Anthem, "Thou wilt keep him (Williams). Hymn, 425. Preacher, Rev. E. C. Hodges, B.D., Prebendary of Rathmichael. 12.15, Holy Communion. 3.15, Psalm, 138. Magn. N. Dim., Brewer in E flat. Introit. Hymn, 453. First Anthem, "Had we but hearkened" (Davies). Hymn, 38. Second Anthem, "Be thou faithful until death . . . See what love" (Mendelssohn). Preacher, Rev. E. C. Hodges, B.D., Prebendary of Rathmichael.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, ARMAGH.—Holy Communion First and Third Sundays at 8 a.m. Second, Fourth and Fifth Sundays after Matins. Matins, 11 a.m. Psalm, 132. Service, Somerville in F. Anthem, "O Holy Ghost," Macfarren (461). Kyrie, Stainer. Hymns, 216, 336. Evensong, 3.15 o'clock. Psalm, 136. Service, Wood in E flat. Anthem, "Remember now Thy Creator," Steggall (885). Hymn, 342.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday). Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 366. Psalm, 124 (369). Te Deum, 388, 389, 390. Hymn, 432. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Psalm, 131 (377). Nunc Dimittis, Thomas Kempton in B flat. Anthem, "Let Thy merciful kindness," Joseph Barnby (1838-1896). To-morrow (Sunday)—Decani. 11 a.m., Matins. Processional Hymn, 11. Venite, 387. Psalm, 132 (388). Te Deum, T. A. Walmisley (1814-1856), in D. Benedictus, 679. Holy Communion. Introit. "From all that dwell below the skies," T. A. Walmisley. Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Basil Harwood in D. Preacher, Canon Charles Dowse, M.A. Hymn during Offertory, 278. Offerings for C.M.S. Hymn, 210 (2). 3.30 o'clock, Evensong Processional Hymn, 193. Psalm, 136 (703). Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, T. A. Walmisley in D. Anthem 750, "Unto Thee, have I cried," G. J. Elvey (1816-1893). Hymn, 273. Recessional Hymn, 35 (1). Offerings for C.M.S.

ST. ANNE'S CATHEDRAL, Belfast.—8, 10.45 and 12.45. Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Litany. Venite and Psalm 132. Te Deum. Service. Stanford in B flat. Jubilate. Anthem, "Subdue us by Thy goodness" (Bach). Hymns, 589, 569, 504. Preacher, the Rev. H. G. Maturin, M.A. (All Saints). 3.30 1st Evensong. Psalm, 138. Magnificat Nunc Dimittis. Service, Stanford in B flat. Anthem, "Comfort, O Lord" (Crotch). Hymns, 473, 455, 485. Preacher, the Rev. P. A. G. Sheppard, B.A. (Derriaghy). 7, 2nd Evensong (Parochial). Preacher, the Rev. T. J. Gray.

ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL, KILKENNY.—Holy Communion, 8.30 a.m. Matins, 11.30 a.m. Venite, 387. Psalm, 135, c. 390. Urbs, 432 (Unis). Jubilate, 71. Processional Hymn, 467. Hymns, 362, 553. Evensong, 3.30 o'clock. Psalm, 136, c. 391. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Parry in D. Anthem, "Turn Thy face from my sins" (Attwood). Hymn, 61. Voluntary, Introduction and Passa caglia (Rheinberger).

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.—7.40 and 8.15, Holy Communion. 10, Matins. 7.45, Evensong. Preacher for Evensong, the Warden.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Morning Prayer; the Vicar. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany; the Vicar. 7, Evensong; the Vicar.

ST. MATTHIAS'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. Dr. de Pauley. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. Dr. de Pauley.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, Clyde road—7.45, Litany. 8, Holy Communion. 9.15, Holy Communion. 11, Matins; Canon Simpson. 12, Sung Eucharist; Rev. Professor Hartford. 6.30, Evensong; Rev. Roderic Coote. Voluntary from Handel's Concerto in F.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—8 and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Tobias. 7, Rev. N. H. Hamilton.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. Canon Tobias. (Offerings for Miss Carr's Home.)

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. R. S. Stewart. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. J. A. MacDonogh. (Offerings for Miss Carr's Home.)

ST. WERBURGH'S PARISH CHURCH.—11.15, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. G. S. McPhail. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. J. D. Murray.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. R. Northridge. 1.5 p.m., Daily Intercession.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—11.30 (Holy Communion) and 7, The Rector.

ST. KEVIN'S, S. C. Road.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 Rev. Martin Parsons. 7, Rev. Martin Parsons. Subject, Questions men are asking—IV., Can I be a Christian under modern conditions?

ST. LUKE'S.—11.30, (Holy Communion) and 7, Rev. J. Blackwell.

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH.—10.30, Holy Communion, Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer, Rev. R. J. Kerr. 7, Holy Communion, Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—10.15 and 7, and CHAPEL OF EASE—11.30, Rev. Dr. Emerson.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. Canon Campbell. 7, Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. Brian Harvey. 7, Rev. Canon Campbell.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett. 7, Rev. Brian Harvey.

THE FREE CHURCH.—10.30 (Children's Sunday). Rev. Canon Campbell. 8.30, Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett.

MISSION BUILDINGS, Townsend street—11.30, Morning Service. 7, Evening Service. Preacher at both Services, Rev. Canon Griffin.

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer Rev. R. C. B. Clarke. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. T. J. Johnston.

ST. VICTOR'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. T. J. Johnston. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. R. C. B. Clarke.

KIRWAN HOUSE CHURCH, N.C. Road—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. A. P. Armstrong. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. A. P. Armstrong.

DRUMCONDRA.—8.15 and 11.15, Holy Communion. 12 Rev. R. L. Stuart. 7, Rev. C. J. Tyndall.

NORTH STRAND.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. C. J. Tyndall. 7, Rev. R. L. Stuart.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. A. T. McNutt. 7, Rev. B. Northridge, Rector of Lea, Portarlington.

ST. MARY'S, Donnybrook.—8, Holy Communion, 11.30, Canon Powell. 7, Rev. M. A. Handy.

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar.—8, Holy Communion. 10.15, Children's Service. 11.30, Canon L. Parkinson Hill. 7, Canon L. Parkinson Hill.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 10.15, Holy Communion. Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. G. S. Nowlan.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer. 11.30 and 7, Rev. J. B. Neligan.

KILLINEY PARISH CHURCH, Ballybrack—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer. Collections for Jubilee of D.U. Mission to Chota Nagpur.

ST. PHILIP AND ST. JAMES'S, Booterstown—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. J. E. C. Lawlor.

ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. N. L. Roberts. 6.30, Holy Communion. Rev. N. L. Roberts.

ST. PHILIP'S PARISH CHURCH, Temple road—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service. Rev. W. H. Coulter. 7, Evensong and sermon. Rev. W. H. Coulter.

ALL SAINTS', Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Sermon. 12.30, Sung Eucharist. 7, Evensong and Sermon.

CHRIST CHURCH, Bray.—Festival Services will be held to-morrow at 11.30 a.m. and 6 p.m. in commemoration of the consecration of the church on the 25th July, 1863.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan.—8.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Rev. G. A. Lowe.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. J. H. Hawkins, M.A. 7, Rev. W. N. Harvey, B.D.

CHRIST CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins the Vicar. 6.30, Evensong, the Vicar.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, Dalkey.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, the Rev. R. M. Gwynn, B.D., S.F.T.C.D. Collection for Dublin University Mission to Chota Nagpur. 3.30, Children's Service. 6.30, Evening Prayer, the Rector.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Chamberlain. 7, Rev. F. R. Michell.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. Harold G. Forde. 7, Rev. Brian M. Kennedy.

ST. PAPPAN'S CHURCH, Santry.—10.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. W. A. M. Cox. 4, Evening Prayer, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. MOBHI'S CHURCH, Glasnevin.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Coolock.—12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. A. M. Cox.

MISSION TO THE ADULT DEAF AND DUMB.—Gregg Hall, 3.30.

ALL SAINTS', Raheny.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service, Canon Drury. 6.30, Evening Service, Canon Drury.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland Square.—11.45 and 7, Rev. J. Breakey.

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. R. K. Hanna.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Noel Thompson.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Crossett.

CLONTARF.—11.30, Rev. A. V. Henderson. 7, Rev. J. Dareshah.

DONORE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Thomas Bole.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. James McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Rutherford.

LUCAN.—10.15, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY AND SCOTS CHURCH.—11.45, Rev. J. Dareshah. 7, Rev. A. V. Henderson.

RATHGAR (CHRIST CHURCH).—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Montgomery.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

NAAS.—12 noon, Rev. Dr. J. A. H. Irwin.

MISSION CHURCH, Ormond Quay.—3, Sabbath School. 4.30, Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—8.15, Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. McCracken.

KINGSLAND PARK.—10.30, Mr. Ronald Brown. 7, Mr. John A. Smith.

ABBEY STREET.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. T. Clarke.

BLACKHALL PLACE.—11.30, Rev. C. Wilson. 7, Mr. F. Macdonald.

LUCAN.—11.30, Mr. T. Lindsay.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Rev. J. Keys. 7, Mr. F. Jeffrey, B.A.

CLONTARF.—11.30, Mr. F. Jeffrey, B.A. 7, Rev. J. Keys.

BRAY.—11.30, Rev. Dr. Park. 7, Rev. M. J. Lewis.

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION.—11.30 a.m., Mr. Victor Hadden. 7, Rev. S. J. Crawford.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—12 noon, Rev. S. J. Crawford. 7, Rev. D. J. Allen.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Rev. D. J. Allen. 7, Mr. David Rowe.

CHARLESTON ROAD, Rathmines—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

RINGSEND.—11.30, Rev. W. S. Deale. 7, Reception Service for new members. Rev. R. A. Lockhart.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30, Rev. R. A. Lockhart. 7, Rev. W. S. Deale.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. J. Oliver.

BLACKROCK.—11.30, Rev. M. J. Lewis. 7, Rev. W. H. Hayes.

DALKEY.—11.30, Rev. W. F. Hayes. 7, Mr. F. W. Elliott.

SUTTON.—11.30, Rev. G. M. Bryson. 7, Rev. G. M. Bryson.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Stephen's Green.—12 and 7, Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A.

HARCOURT STREET BAPTIST CHAPEL.—11.30 and 7, Pastor L. E. Deens.

YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30, Rev. E. Gordon Fletcher.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30, Mr. W. A. Seales. 7, Mr. S. D. White.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street.—12 and 7, Mr. Edward E. Rankin (Bangor).

FAIRVIEW HALL.—12 noon, Mr. E. Reid and Mr. S. Cochran Sr.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Dun Laoghaire.—To-morrow, 7, Mr. J. Tannahill.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—Meetings for Public Worship—11, 6 Eustace street, Dublin. 11, Monkstown. 11, Churchtown. 11.30, Bray.

THE HALL, 5 Northumberland Road, near Mount Street Bridge.—To-morrow (Sunday) at 8.30 p.m., Lantern Lecture, by Mr. A. J. Ferris, B.A. Monday at 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Thursday at 8 p.m., Pastor Fox will speak on The Calling Out of the Church and the Gift of the Holy Spirit. Collection to defray expenses. Early attendance is advised to ensure a seat.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin. Rathmines Park (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.) Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

CITY OF DUBLIN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Lower Abbey street, Dublin.—To-morrow—Bible Class (combined Senior and Intermediate); Mr. B. W. Peake: "Petition." Boys' Department (all at 5 p.m. 8.30 p.m., Memorial Service for Captain Wallis.

ECHOES OF THE TOWN

By KITTY CLIVE

DUBLIN seems to have gone all military these days; for soldiers are seen everywhere. I noted many at the first night at the Abbey Theatre recently, and the country lads greatly enjoy the cinemas. These latter believe that they should get their amusements free, and, as is the case in other countries, special rates might be allotted them. Many of them have made sacrifices in leaving their post at their country's call and have little money to dispense on amusements.

IRISH RACING

The chief social gatherings nowadays are our race meetings, and we are very fortunate in Dublin, in the beautiful settings for this great Irish sport, such as Leopardstown, Baldoyle, the Phœnix Park and the Curragh. All these courses have of late been the *rendezvous* of the social and sporting world, who wish to forget the tragic world beyond our shores.

THE GREAT STEEPLECHASE

Already the attention of the sporting world is being engaged by the prospect of the coming great steeplechase for the Irish Red Cross, to take place at the Phœnix Park course, and I hear a huge crowd is anticipated. The success of the Leopardstown meeting, which took place in a deluge of rain, leaves no doubt that the coming event at the Park will overshadow any race yet held at this attractive course. I am told that several social functions—including the dance which Lord HolmPatrick is organising for the Meath Hunt—are being arranged for the evening of the steeplechase.

EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

The Duchess of St. Albans, who has been re-appointed Chairman by the Executive Council of the Irish Red Cross of the Depôt for Hospital Emergency Supplies, tells me that in a few days her committee will give the newspapers of the country a statement of the work being done at the depôt, which I referred to in my notes a few weeks ago. I believe many of the enthusiastic workers are so busy at the depôt that they almost live at the station, and one of the hardest workers is the Duchess herself.

YOUNG RIDERS

There was much disappointment among our young riding folk when it was decided to abandon the Horse Show this year. Miss C. E. Whitton tells me that the juvenile competitors will be compensated somewhat by the gymkhana to take place at the Potterton Rest Field this afternoon. The entries are splendid, and a big attendance is expected. The Show champions will be competing. As the competitions are in aid of the South County Dublin Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, there is a good deal of interest. The Potterton Rest Field has proved a boon to the poor owners of overworked horses, who can have a holiday now like all workers under happy conditions. Mrs. Wall is presenting a silver challenge cup for horses that have never won a first prize in any jumping competition.

PARISH COUNCILS

It has taken the war-time emergency to bring into being the Parish Council, which was so long ago advocated by the late Arthur Griffith and his committee. Underlying this plan is an old Irish belief that the village and country district should resemble a big family. We have grown more selfish in outlook in the present generation and lost that human interest in our neighbours which was part of Irish life. Mr. Griffith had great faith in the women's influence, and it is to be hoped that the women will be given the opportunity to direct affairs in their home towns. Otherwise I fear for the success of the system.

THE FARMERS' CLUB

In the Western districts of the United States and Canada, the Parish Council idea is carried on under ideal conditions. The older members of the village or town are intensely interested in the young. In the farming parts the club meets, and if some one is in distress, has had a bad harvest, or some other misfortune, the wealthier members, on being assured of the integrity of the sufferers, act as guarantors for the help needed to recoup their loss.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY

WORK DURING MAY AND JUNE

The Executive Committee of the Soldiers' and Sailors' (Irish Branch) Help Society met at 26 South Frederick street, Dublin, on Thursday.

Present:—Lieut.-Colonel Bramston-Newman, M.V.O., in the chair; also Mrs. J. Fetherstonhaugh, O.B.E.; Mrs. Canning Loughridge; Mrs. Fitzgibbon; Mrs. Gaisford; Countess Taafe, Major Goff, D.S.O.; T. Gaisford St. Lawrence, Major Kirkwood, O.B.E. (hon. treasurer); Lieut.-Colonel C. P. Riall, Captain L. J. Arnott (hon. general secretary), Miss Blount, M.B.E., and Lieut.-Colonel Verschoyle Campbell (secretary).

The committee received reports for May and June, and passed them. 116 men were helped with cash, rents, insurance, etc.; new clothing was given to 58 men; men in institutions were helped, and campaign pensions obtained for five men; many pension documents were investigated and verified. 1,840 cases were dealt with, and help given where possible within the rules of the society. 430 letters were written.

The Employment Bureau found permanent work for four men, and temporary work for sixteen men.

ON THE WIRELESS

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 233 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); **ATHLONE, 531 Metres** (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.); and **CORK, 242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

2.45-3—Commentary on Tramway 100 yards flat race, relayed from Croke Park. Commentator, J. R. Thornton. **5.30**—Gramophone Programme. Spanish Songs. **5.55**—Tea-time Music, Nora Kane's Trio. **6.25**—Bring Your Gardening Problem Here, G. O. Sherrard. **6.40**—Sports Results, Official Announcements.

6.45—News **7.0**—Economy in Dress. No. 2 Dress Renovations, Ann McKenna. **7.15**—Thunder Brothers, with Albert Healy at the piano. **7.35**—Diospóireacht: Beatha nó bás na Teangan, Lorcán O Ceallaigh agus Liam O Diabhláin. **7.50**—Irish Radio Octet and Frank Cowie (baritone). **8.40**—Introductions by Joseph O'Neill, William Boyd (tenor), Edward Dockery (fiddle), Molly Brennan (contralto). John Clifford (accordeon). **9.30**—Black Jesters Concert Party. **10.0**—Nuacht (News). **10.0**—Gaedhilg. **10.10**—English. **10.30**—New Recordings.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391.1 Metres (Scottish) and 449.1 Metres (Northern).
News at 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 1 p.m., 6 p.m., 9 p.m., and midnight.

6.45—News in Norwegian. **7.0**—Time, News, and Summary of To-day's Programmes. **7.15**—Records of Joe Venuti. **7.30**—Exercises for Younger Women and Older Men. **7.50**—Records. **7.55**—"Lift up your Hearts!" **8.0**—Time, News, and Summary of To-day's Programmes. **8.15**—"The Kitchen Front." **8.20**—Boulevard Players. **8.45**—Ceinwen Rowlands (soprano) and Arthur Brough (baritone). **9.15**—Film Music on Records. **9.45**—William Rees and the Pier Orchestra. **10.15**—Time; the Daily Service. **10.30**—Leslie Simpson at the Theatre Organ. **11.0**—Marie Dare String Quartet. **11.30**—"Brothers of the Angle." A discussion on some knotty points by two fishermen, Lionel T. Sweet and Gordon Burge. **11.45**—Orchestral Concert. **12.30** — Frederic Kuper and his Orchestra.

1.0—Time, News. **1.15**—"Backs to the Land," by John Morgan, M.P. **1.35**—Winifred Small (violin) and Maurice Cole (piano). **2.15**—Geraldo and his Concert Orchestra, with Dorothy Carless, Esther Coleman, Margaret Eaves, George Evans, Cyril Grantham, Reginald Mitchell, Bill Tringham, and the B.B.C. Chorus **3.0**—The Manchester L.N.E.R. Band. **3.30**—Orchestral Concert. **4.0**—Don Felipe and the Cuban Caballeros. **4.30**—"The Quaintesques," presented by Billie Manders at a Welsh Seaside Town. **5.0**—News and a Topical Talk in Welsh. **5.10**—A Welsh Talk. **5.20**—Children's Hour. **6.0**—Time, News. **6.15**—Records. **6.30**—News in Norwegian. **6.45**—"My Day's Work": Alexander Boyle, Ysabel Silcock, and Joseph Corbett.

7.0—"Saturday Spotlight." **7.30**—Variety, with Dave Willis, from a Scottish Theatre. **8.15**—"The Old Music Hall."

9.0—Time, News. **9.20**—"Spring Meeting," a light comedy by M. J. Farrell and John Perry. **10.15**—"Lighten Our Darkness": Evening Prayers. **10.30**—News in Gaelic. **10.35**—Brahms Symphony No. 2 in D, played by the B.B.C. Orchestra. **11.15**—Geraldo and his Savoy Orchestra, with Dorothy Carless, Cyril Grantham, George Evans, Bill Tringham. **11.55**—"And so to Bed," presented by M. H. Allen. **12.0**—Time, News, and News in Norwegian.

FORCES' PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—11 a.m. to 10.0 p.m.—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres). 10.0 p.m. to 11.0 p.m.—877 Kc. (342.1 Metres). From 11 p.m. to 12.15 a.m. 342.1 will radiate the B.B.C. Programme.

6.15—News in French. **6.30**—A cheerful selection of records. **7.0**—Time, News, Programme Summary. **7.15**—Records of Joe Venuti. **7.30-8.0**—A morning miscellany of gramophone records. **10.30**—Leslie Simpson at the theatre organ. **11.0**—Time and Programme Summary, followed by favourite double acts on records. **11.45**—"Under One Flag." **12.15**—News in French. **12.30**—Ballet Music on records.

1.0—News in Dutch. **1.15**—Len Lewis and his Novelty Quartet, with Tom Jennings. **1.30**—Arthur Dulay Quintet. **2.0**—Kendall Taylor (piano). **2.15**—Geraldo and his Concert Orchestra, with Dorothy Carless, Esther Coleman, Margaret Eaves, George Evans, Cyril Grantham, Reginald Mitchell, Bill Tringham, and the B.B.C. Chorus. **3.0**—The Manchester L.N.E.R. Band. **3.30**—"Serenade," a programme of records. **4.0**—Don Felipe and the Cuban Caballeros.

4.30—B.B.C. **5.0**—Time, "Bye Bye Blues," a non-stop revue, with Mary Pollack, Janet Joye, Bernadette Hodgson, Cedric Johnson, Hal Bryant, Lester Muddltt. **5.30**—Sandy Macpherson at the theatre organ. **6.0**—News in Dutch and French. **6.30**—B.B.C. Men's Chorus, Arthur Cranmer (bass), at the piano Ernest Lush. **7.0**—"Saturday Spotlight." **7.30**—Variety, with Dave Willis, from a Scottish theatre. **8.10**—Interlude, records. **8.15**—News in French. **8.30**—"Ici La France." **9.0**—News in German. **9.15**—"Multum in Parvo." **9.30**—Fred. Hartley and his Sextet, with George Melachrino.

10.0—Time, "Lights Out!" an end-of-day gramophone cabaret. **10.40**—Jack Dowie at the theatre organ.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 233 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); **ATHLONE, 531 Metres** (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.) and **CORK, 242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

3.45-5.15 approx.—Commentary on Munster Hurling Final, relayed from Thurles. Commentator, Micheal O hEithir. **5.30**—Gramophone Programme. **5.50**—Scoruiocht: Terry Lane (accordeon), Sean Curteis (tenor), James Devlin (flute). **6.30**—Val Vousden (Entertainer). **6.45**—Nuacht na Seachtaine. **7.0**—An Aois seo na miorbhuilt: Muire na ndeor sa Spainn." Proinnsias Mac Diarmuda. **7.15**—Ladies' Vocal Trio **7.45**—Slieve Gullion: Valley of Travellers, No. 3. Script by Michael J. Murphy. Produced by John Stephenson. **8.15**—"La Traviata" (Verdi), Act I. (Recorded). Rozsa (soprano), Ziliani (tenor), Borgonovo (baritone), etc. La Scala Chorus and Orchestra, conducted by Carlo Sabajno. **8.50**—The Ascent of Croagh Patrick: An Interpretation by Francis MacManus. **9.20**—New Irish Music by An Ceol Chumann. **9.50**—Tunes and where they came from, presented by Peter Piper. **10.5**—News. **10.20**—A. L. Molloy's Ceilidhe Band. **10.50**—Gaelic Sports Talk: Sean O Ceallachain.

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6.45—News in Norwegian. **7.0**—Time, News, and To-day's Summary of Programmes. **7.15**—Light Orchestral Programme and Gladys Swarthout (mezzo-soprano) on records. **7.45**—Bristol Light Ensemble. **8.15**—Orchestral Concert.

9.0—Time, News, and Summary of To-day's Programmes. **9.15**—Records. **9.25**—Sunday Morning Service, the Rev. Jack Winslow.

10.15—Scarlatti (some of his piano sonatas recorded by Robert Casadeus). **10.30**—The B.B.C. Salon Orchestra. **11.0**—"Things That Go Wrong in the House" (W. P. Matthew). **11.15**—Beethoven, played by Kendall Taylor, piano. **11.40**—"Rivalry on the Kitchen Front."

12.0—B.B.C. Singers. **12.15**—Fairey Aviation Works Band. **12.45**—Everyman's Music, 4 (Alec Robertson). **1.0**—Time, News. **1.15**—Fredric Bayco at the theatre organ. **1.35**—Anthology, "Courage to endure." **1.45**—Troise and his Mandoliers, with Percy Manchester. **2.15**—In Your Garden. **2.30**—Sunday Orchestral Concert, London Philharmonic Orchestra, conducted by Sir Adrian Boult. **3.30**—"From a Deanery Window" (a talk about religious books and events by the Very Rev. F. A. Iremonger, D.D., Dean of Lichfield. **3.45**—Claydon Quintet. **4.10**—Dudley Beaven at the theatre organ. **4.30**—"The Joyous Adventures of Aristide Pujol" (Adventure 2, "The kind Mr. Smith"). **5.0**—News in Welsh. **5.15**—Children's Hour. **6.0**—Time, News. **6.15**—Records. **6.30**—News in Norwegian.

6.45—"Off Your Own Bat." **7.0**—"Hero and Heroine." **7.55**—Sunday Evening Service, the Rev. Canon T. Guy Rogers, M.C. **8.40**—Week's Good Cause (an appeal on behalf of the missionary work of the Norwegian, Danish, and Finnish Churches by the Rev. W. J. Noble, Chairman of the Conference of Missionary Societies in Great Britain and Northern Ireland. **8.45**—Records. **8.50**—The National Anthems of the Allies. **9.0**—Time, News. **9.20**—"The English Heritage" (a programme of prose and poetry compiled by Sir John Squire). **9.50**—A Concert by Czechoslovakian Troops from "Somewhere in England." **10.10**—B.B.C. Orchestra. **10.45**—Epilogue. **10.55**—Westminster Players. **11.25**—Bax, played by Frederick Riddle (viola) and John Wills (piano). **11.55**—"And So To Bed," presented by M. H. Allen. **12.0**—Time, News, and News in Norwegian.

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6.15—News in French. **6.30**—Cheerful selection of records. **7.0**—Time, Big Ben; News Programme Summary. **7.15**—Records of Allan Jones. **7.30-8.0**—"On Parade!" (records). **10.30**—Varied items specially designed for the Indian troops. **11.0**—Time, Big Ben; a Short Morning Service. **11.10**—Programme Summary followed by Jeanette Macdonald. The musical screen career of a famous film star (records). **11.40**—The Theatre Organ (G. T. Pattman). **12.0**—B.B.C. Singers. **12.15 p.m.**—News in French **12.30**—The Three in Harmony (accompanied by the Hula Players). **12.45**—Nantlle Vale Male Voice Choir.

1.0—News in Dutch **1.15**—"Very Tasty—Very Sweet" (No. 3 of the series). **1.45**—"There's a War On!" 3—"Attack." The Rev. Ivor S. Watkins. **1.55**—Popular Orchestral Concert (records). **2.15**—"A Deal in Diamonds" (a radio sketch). **2.30**—Ernest Leggett and the Continental Players. **3.0**—Reginald Pursglove and his Orchestra. **3.30**—Jan Berenska and his Orchestra. **4.10**—The Theatre Organ (Dudley Beaven). **4.30**—Band of His Majesty's Welsh Guards. **5.15**—B.B.C. Theatre Chorus (with Donald Edge at the piano). **5.30**—Canadian Variety.

6.0—News in Dutch and French. **6.30**—Grace Leslie (soprano), John Mearns (baritone) and George Davie (violin). **6.55**—Weekly News-Letter. **7.5**—News in Dutch. **7.30**—A short Service conducted by Ian Whyte and the Rev. A. Douglas Fraser. **8.0**—Dollie Elsie and her Ad Libs. **8.15**—News in French. **8.30**—"Ici La France." **9.0**—News in German. **9.15**—"Hi, Gang!" (starring Bebe Daniels, Vic Oliver, Ben Lyon, with Jay Wilbur and his Orchestra). **9.55**—Records. **10.0**—Time. Epilogue. **10.5**—Thorpe Bates (baritone). **10.20**—Records of famous bands playing popular dance tunes.

LEIGHLIN SYNOD

DANGERS OF THE PRESENT DAY

ADDRESS BY RIGHT REV. DR. PHAIR

The Bishop of Ossory Right Rev. J. P. Phair, D.D., in his address to Leighlin Diocesan Synod yesterday at Carlow, said that the cause of the world's troubles to-day was that they had a civilisation without God. The only solution of these troubles was God's solution. They had tried everything else—pacts, covenants and treaties—all of which had failed.

Referring to their position in this country, he said that it needed no words of his to emphasise the dangers of the present day. He did not take a pessimistic view, but because they were neutral many people fondly believed that they were safe. The facts of the situation pointed the other way.

He was glad to see that in many parishes the call to national service had received a good response. As citizens of Eire to-day, their duty was plain—give all the help in your power.

He thanked the members for their welcome and the assurance that he would have their sympathy and co-operation in the work he had dedicated himself to. He thanked them for the gift of his episcopal ring. He paid a tribute to the late Dr. Ford Tichborne. whom, he said, they had learnt to value and love.

GROUPING OF PARISHES

Referring to the Diocesan report, he said that, with regard to the proposed union and grouping of certain parishes, a committee had been appointed to consider the matter. There were bound to be objections, but the great concern was the welfare of the Church as a whole Where there was weakness it would mean strengthening it. Sacrifices would have to be made and old prejudices scrapped. The financial position was, on the whole, satisfactory. He recognised the fine spirit of generosity that was shown by the people in a time when conditions were very difficult.

The increased taxation for defence and the increased cost of living were going to make greater demands upon them. At the end of the present year covenant subscriptions were not going to be permitted.

The consideration of the report was proposed by Sir Hunt Walsh, Bart. who also welcomed the Bishop.

Archdeacon J. R. H. Becher seconded.

The report was adopted.

TEMPERANCE AND SOCIAL WELFARE

The Rev. W. P. Benson, M.A., in proposing the report on temperance and social welfare, stated that in these days of national emergency it needed to be emphasised that not merely temperance, but total abstinence from all alcoholic liquor was absolutely essential for the physical fitness of the individual and the safety and security of the community. There had been a decided increase in the consumption of liquor in Eire during the past twelve months, from 7.9 to 9.7 per head, and the average amount spent was stated to be £4 19s 6d.

Increased facilities in all Irish towns and cities for betting and gambling, intensified by sweepstakes, was, perhaps, the greatest evil. It was appalling to learn that the huge sum of 12½ millions was the drink bill for Eire last year, and that during the same period the duty paid to the Government by betting and gambling houses amounted to £200,000. These social evils are doing untold injury and undermining the spirit and courage of the nation.

The Church of Ireland Temperance and Social Welfare Society had done splendid work during the past sixty-two years and had fully justified its existence. Much still remained to be achieved in facing these social and moral problems and so preserving the welfare and happiness in the homes of their people.

The report was adopted.

DIOCESAN COUNCIL

The following were elected to the Diocesan Council:—The Rev. Canon E. Bradshaw, the Rev. J. Fairley, the Rev. A. C. Bevill, the Rev. Canon W. A. Shaw, the Rev. J. C. Nelson, the Rev. Canon C. S. S. Ellison, the Rev. Canon W. D. Fletcher, the Rev. T. E. Young, Sir Hunt Walsh, Bart.; Colonel M. Dennis, C.B.; H. J. Toler-Aylward, H. Franks, Major A. Fitzmaurice, T. H. Carter, W. E. Dobbs, Captain E. A. Cosby, Lord Rathdonnell, S. R. Thorp, W. H. Bennett, A. W. Odlum, and supplemental members: the Rev. R. B. Pike and the Rev. C. D. Clark.

A.R.P. IN DUBLIN

CASUALTY CLEARING HOSPITALS

Speaking in regard to the Corporation Air Raid Precautions for the City of Dublin over the wireless last night, Dr. Kerry Reddin said that in each of the nine areas into which the city had been divided for air raid precaution purposes, there would within the next few days be established a First Aid Post, with doctors, nurses and orderlies, equipped with stretchers, drugs and dressings, and ambulances with street parties attached. Each of these premises had been specially fitted and adapted for the purpose, and would be marked in an appropriate manner for public guidance. At these first aid posts suitable treatment would be given to such casualties as were brought in by first aid parties on the streets.

Supplementing the first aid posts will be four mobile units ('buses specially fitted), which can be sent to any point in the city where required.

The first aid posts will be situated as follows:—

North City—Vincentian National School, Phibsborough; Convent National School (girls), Griffith avenue; Infants' School, Marlborough street; Vernon avenue National School.

South City—High School, Harcourt street; St. Brigid's National School, The Coombe; Technical Schools, Rathmines road; National Schools, Clareville road, Harold's Cross.

The location of the post in Ballsbridge area has not yet been decided.

The mobile units will be stationed as follows:—

North City—King's Hospital School, Blackhall place; Christian Brothers' Schools, Seville place.

South City—Trinity College O.T.C. (backgate) ground; Iveagh Play Centre, Bull alley, off Patrick street.

Supplementing all these posts the Dispensary Medical Officers of the city have volunteered, where necessary, to keep dispensaries open as auxiliary first aid posts during emergency.

Serious cases will be taken to casualty clearing hospitals, of which there are seven, providing 400 beds. These hospitals are:—North City—Richmond and Mater Misericordiæ Hospitals. South City—St. Vincent's, Meath, Mercers, Adelaide and City of Dublin Hospitals. From these hospitals the more serious cases will be transferred to the base hospital, about eighteen miles outside the city.

Mrs. Patricia McGillycuddy, of Bishopscourt, Straffan, Co. Kildare, has placed her valuable house at the disposal of the Corporation for this purpose, and it will soon be equipped as a complete base hospital.

Dr. Reddin appealed especially to all who have cars to volunteer their use by sending their names to Colonel Gay, 5 Wellington quay, Dublin.

A Russian Jew, Max Goldfarb, trading as a furniture and clothing dealer at Moseley road, Birmingham, was fined £750 at Bow street, London, yesterday, for failing to cause 10,764 dollars deposited by him in a New York bank to be offered for sale to the Treasury. It was stated that Goldfarb had contemplated going to New York, partly owing to his fears of Fascism in Britain.

PYE
AT PRE WAR PRICES

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

BANK ROBBERY SEQUEL

CHARGES AGAINST DUBLIN MAN

REMAND IN CUSTODY

(BEFORE MR. HANNAN.)

ROBERT J. MURPHY (39), Leix road, Cabra, married, a trade union official, was put forward on remand, charged with having on 15th May at the Cornmarket branch of the Royal Bank of Ireland, while armed, feloniously and with force and violence robbed William Ernest Mordaunt of £590 10s., the property of the bank; with assaulting, with intent to rob, three bank officials, and with having a firearm with intent to endanger life.

Yesterday he was further charged with having an automatic pistol on 15th July at Lower O'Connell street without a firearms certificate; with having seven rounds of ammunition with intent to endanger life or damage property, and also with having in his possession at 33 Lower Gardiner street 25 sticks of gelignite, five detonators and one coil of fuse.

George Pepper, an official in the bank, said that on May 15th a man, whom he now identified as the accused man, spoke to him in the bank and asked could he speak to the cashier, Mr. Mordaunt. A few moments later he heard Mr. Mordaunt cry out that he had been "held up." He saw Mr. Mordaunt going excitedly towards the rear of his own box and the man had gone. He (witness) identified Murphy at the Bridewell on 16th July at a parade.

"THIS IS A HOLD-UP"

Mr. Mordaunt, cashier, said that on the 15th May the defendant handed him at the bank a note which read: "This is a hold-up. Put all the notes and silver on the counter. Make no noise." The man pointed at him what appeared to be an automatic pistol. When witness hesitated the man said: "Come on with the money" or something like that. He (witness) handed over three £5 bags of silver to the man, who did not take any of the bags, but said: "The notes; the notes." Witness then handed over a quantity of notes—probably three bundles, which the man put in his pocket. The defendant then said: "Do not make a noise," and backed out into the street.

Superintendent T. O'Neill said that Murphy had no firearms certificate on either 15th May or 15th July.

Murphy was remanded in custody till August 2.

Mr T. A. Geary (Chief State Solicitor's office) prosecuted, and Mr. H. Hare (instructed by Mr J. C. Erskine) defended.

AUNT'S ESTATE

GRANT OF ADMINISTRATION

(BEFORE MR JUSTICE HANNA.)

Mrs. Ellen McMonagle, Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan, was allowed a general grant of administration of the estate of her aunt, Mrs. Bridget Tully, late of the "Erne Arms" Hotel, Belturbet, who died intestate on June 4 last.

The grant, which was for the use and benefit of Francis Tully, husband of the late Mrs. Tully, was given subject to Mrs. McMonagle lodging in the Probate Office an authority from Mr. Donald Tully, Mrs. Tully's son

Mr. John O'Leary (instructed by P. S. P. Mac Duibhir), for Mrs. McMonagle, said that Francis Tully, the husband, had been living in the United States for the past twenty-five years at least. There were two children of the marriage—Donald, who had qualified as a doctor and was now practising at "St. Augustine's," The Crescent, Longton, Stoke-on-Trent, and Joseph, who had emigrated to America twelve or fourteen years ago. Before her death the late Mrs. Tully carried on the business of an hotel proprietress in Belturbet. There was no communication between her and her husband. Her assets included premises built about 1925 at £1,500, attached to which there was a spirit licence. The hotel was completely furnished.

When Mrs. Tully died her son, Dr. Donald Tully, was unable to get over for the funeral, but he communicated with Mrs. McMonagle, and asked her to arrange for the funeral and close up the premises. Mrs. McMonagle did that, and Dr. Tully provided money for the funeral expenses.

It would be necessary for some competent person to make an application at the next Belturbet annual licensing sessions in September for the preservation of the licence. It was not possible to have the necessary papers and power of attorney completed in time for the sessions.

Dr. Tully had communicated with his brother, Joseph, in America, to locate the whereabouts of his father, and advise him of his rights on the death of his mother, but so far no reply had been received. In the circumstances Mrs. McMonagle's application was necessary.

AMERICAN WILL

APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF ADMINISTRATION

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

Mrs. Mary Kate Smith, Cakestown, Kells, County Meath, asked for leave to apply for a grant of administration of the estate of her sister, Miss Rose Anne Farrelly, late of Cakestown, Kells, Co. Meath, who died on 4th August, 1939, leaving assets value about £1,000.

Mr. E. S. FitzSimon (instructed by Mr. Nathaniel Lacy), for Mrs. Smith, said that Miss Farrelly had worked as a seamstress in America and before returning here in 1932 she made a will, which she afterwards said she had destroyed. After her return to Ireland she bought a farm on which she built a house. In March, 1939, before going to hospital she drew up a document intended to be a will, but had it witnessed by one person only, and accordingly it was invalid. She was told about this and intended to have it executed properly, but died without having done so.

Some of the next-of-kin were in America and some were in Ireland. Subsequently a copy of the will she had made in America was produced by a Philadelphia lawyer.

Mr. FitzSimon said that the question in the matter was: did Miss Farrelly intend to cancel the will at the time she said she destroyed it, thereby revoking it absolutely, or was the will destroyed only as part of the means of setting up the later will? If the latter were the case, and the later will failed, he submitted that the American will would not be revoked.

Mr. Justice Hanna directed that the executors and the beneficiaries of the American will be served with notice of the application for leave to apply for a grant of administration.

PAYMENTS OF DIVIDENDS

(BEFORE THE MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT)

On the application of Messrs. Hoey and Denning, solicitors, orders were made directing the payment of dividends on securities deposited in Court under the Insurance Act, 1936, to the British Engine Boiler and Electrical Insurance Co., Ltd., Manchester; the Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., Liverpool, and the Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co., Liverpool.

Your Scalp and Hair
P. J. E. McDONOUGH wishes to advise his client friends that he will not attend to any professional work or correspondence during the month of August.
P. J. E. McDONOUGH,
44 RATHGAR ROAD, DUBLIN.

BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Present Day Poetry

Auden and Macneice

Another Time. By W. H. Auden. London: Faber and Faber. 7/6 net.
The Last Ditch. By Louis Macneice. Dublin: The Cuala Press. 12/6 net.

THE problems of the English poets, with their sociological and political implications, are so different from those of our own country that we can view them without prejudice—at any rate, without any immediate stir of passion. For this reason, perhaps, we miss something which must be more or less apparent to the younger school of English critics. Poetry is not an international language, neither is a poem an intellectual performance to be apprehended by intellect alone; it is, though an exceptional poem is something more, a restricted social phenomenon, and depends for the effectiveness of its rhetoric on a certain social order, which, in turn, depends on all those subterranean bonds and channels which are the creation of a shared life experience.

If, then, the work of Messrs. Auden and Macneice comes to us as though dimmed in translation, it is probably because our own poetry has evolved differently, out of different intensities and other modes of thought and feeling. Our poets seem to live their poems; their language never seems to forget the sword or the cowl upstairs; their world is as personal as folksong in which ideas are sensuous, tactile things, and the language of communication is passion. If they are spectators, it seems only by accident; if they despair of the world, they do not wash their hands of it in abstract generalisation; and, being identical with their passion, they make this aloof poetry of Mr. Auden and Mr. Macneice seem by contrast schoolmarmish and thin.

Unripened Thoughts

Most poems by Mr. Auden seem to be interludes in some half-finished essay on Freudian man. Their obscurity has the compelling didacticism of half-baked thought, thought that has not ripened through deep emotion into a clarifying imagery. In a poem on Pascal, for instance, he can compose passages like this:

"Yet like a lucky orphan he had been
discovered,
And instantly adopted by a gift;
And she became the sensible protector,
Who found a pathway through the
caves of accusation.
And even in the canyon of distress
was able
To use the echo of his weakness as a
proof
That joy was probable and took the
place
Of the poor lust and hunger he had
never known."

Now this is neither good nor bad, but it is undistinguished and literary, because it lacks what Yeats might call the drama of plain statement. Freudian imagery need not be taken from the dream records of the average neurotic, and to do so is to limit a terminology and to put bonds on the poet's first asset, his imaginative vocabulary. It is quite permissible for Mr. Auden to base his art on the Freudian intuitions, but it has its drawbacks when the subject is something like Pascal, a man who is inseparable from his own philosophy, and will not be analysed in the terms of another. And the advantages of the treatment are not very apparent even when the subject lends itself, as Voltaire, whose bold lines are easily caricatured. But here Mr. Auden's method is astonishingly reminiscent of Ezra Pound:

"Far off in Paris, where his enemies
Whispered that he was wicked, in an
upright chair
A blind old woman longed for death
and letters. He would write,
'Nothing is better than life.' But
was it? Yes, the fight
Against the false and the unfair
Was always worth it. So was garden-
ing. Civilise."

His Bane and Charm

Broken syntax, stops and pauses is not in Mr. Auden's usual manner. His work has an extraordinarily fluid rhythm, a facility that is at once his bane and his charm. It bears the mark of great ease and offers him great possibilities. If verse-making were more difficult to him, however, he might be more aware through the solving of difficult technical problems of the larger nature in the world and the society he sets out to express.

As it is, he sees people through the cliches of Expressionist Drama, uses them in too much simplification, gives them a too limited response to the ordinary *stimuli* of living. This is not a real solution of the complexities of art, but in this book Mr. Auden's personal voice is so uncertain at times and the technical influences of other poets so impatient that we may assume that he is already questioning his own sums of subtraction. But Yeats, "with his great birch and his great book," is too individual a stylist to take for master, and the Yeatsian inflexion in the poem called "September, 1939," is intrusive.

While Mr. Auden may in the end find a definite poetic expression of the Freudian concept of life, Mr. Macneice, his contemporary, seems unable to conjure a new music out of the old despair. Much fine poetry, poetry that lives on after the poet, has been made out of despair, but the best of it, as in Thomas Hardy, was made when the iron in the poet's soul was also the poker down his back. And Mr. Macneice curls up so easily into comforting Victorian platitude:

"So let the water sizzle
Upon the gleaming slates,
There will be sunshine after
When the rain abates. . . ."

For one who is regarded as being in the van of modern poetic revolution, he has curious affiliations with the lesser Georgians. He writes in the journalistic present tense of the "Occasional poem." In the language of Love, too, his surface contemporaneity gives the effect not of passion, but of a rather effeminate dalliance.

"But on the off-chance pack—your
summer frock and sandals,
And a pair of gloves for towns,
And one small bottle of scent—Chanel
or Coty,
And your long ear-rings twisted like
Christmas candles."

Concentrated Imagery

Modern poetry at its best has an attractively hard case and a concentrated imagery. It avoids, or tries to avoid, discursiveness and scenic description—that looseness of texture, in fact, which in the first heat of the modernist revolution was regarded as a pernicious Georgian attribute. Mr. McNeice, however, now that the "revolution" has been accepted and the sound of the popguns has died down in the periodicals would seem to have renounced the only virtues of the new movement. Frankly, his imagery is pedestrian, and his discursiveness is that of a too high-powered tourist. He catalogues scenery, but his register is that of the motorist rather than the poet.

This, indeed, is a book which might come out of any English publishing house, and is an unusual break away for the Cuala Press, which up to the present has given the most of its energies to our native wells. It is not work that will lie easily beside that of Hyde or Yeats.

Five Thousand Years in a Nutshell

An American History of Europe

European Civilisation, Political, Social, Cultural. By James Westfall Thompson, Franklin E. Palm, and John J. van Nostrand. London: Macmillan. 21/- net.

ONE can liken this great volume to an encyclopædia, or to Mr. H. A. L. Fisher's authoritative "History of Europe." Despite its undoubted value, it is inferior to both. A political, social and cultural history of European civilisation cannot be compressed into a single volume without the exercise of the most stringent principles of selection. Such principles are not obvious in this work. An attempt has been made to emulate the encyclopædia, and to include considerably too much factual detail, thereby improving the value of the volume as a source of reference, but detracting a great deal from it as a work of literature.

We are convinced that good history must also be good literature; that history is an art as well as a science, and that the presentation and interpretation of the facts is almost as important as the facts themselves. Few Irish historians, though Lecky and Bury are glorious exceptions, have realised this high goal; and our modern scholarly writers have much to learn. Doubtless, the volume before us was intended as a text book, but, if so, it will dull the student's historical mind for ever. The mere repetition of disjointed factual material, no matter how important, is not the writing of history, and many chapters in this volume can be thoroughly comprehensible only to those who possess already a background of historical knowledge.

England's Part

Despite these limitations, however, it is a monumental work, and will suit certain types of mind. It is no mean task to compress authoritatively into thirteen hundred pages a European history which treats, not merely of Europe in a geographical sense, but also of all that has gone to make up European thought and philosophy through the ages.

The English contribution, owing to the vast areas of the world which follow the English tradition, occupies a major share of the space. But the distinguished American authors fail to realise the significance of Mr. Fisher's influence on these great surveys of human history. He cast his net less widely than they do, but he displayed his results to better advantage.

This book is a brave attempt at a very great task, but it has fallen short of its goal. Nothing but praise, however, can be extended to the general format, and especially to the excellent maps, tables and diagrams.

MR. SEAN MILROY,
CHAIRMAN OF THE GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE, DUBLIN CORPORATION.
From a drawing by Alan Reeve.

Observer in Finland

Edward Ward Tells What He Saw

Despatches from Finland. By Edward Ward. London: The Bodley Head. 7/6 net.

IT seems only yesterday that we were listening in to the B.B.C.'s recordings from "our observer, Edward Ward": and here are his eye-witness accounts of the fighting in Finland last winter—thirty of them in all, augmented and illustrated by photographs and a map. It is agreeable to know we can claim him as a countryman of our own. He was the first official British Observer to broadcast, from the scene of operations, a description of a major war in Europe. It is to be doubted whether any correspondent, short of a combatant, ever penetrated the front line so dangerously far as he was permitted to do when he requested to be allowed to cross the frontier into Russia! His unique assignment must have exacted unlimited personal courage, on a scale which can only be judged by those who read this continuous narrative of a mission which took Edward Ward over five thousand miles of territory—from three hundred miles north of the Arctic Circle down to the Karelian Isthmus.

He worked under difficulties, apart from the terrible cold, the air raids, and the shellings in the battle zones. One limitation he shared with other correspondents: the Finns were, through no fault of their own, short of Press officers. But another limitation was his own, and self-imposed: he was determined to broadcast nothing except what he had actually seen.

Scenes of War

What he saw was sufficiently sensational. The remains (in a literal and ghastly sense) of the Russian 44th Division, annihilated by a much smaller force at Suomussalmi: a camp for Russian prisoners-of-war, with a woman among them—a nurse, sent into the front line; air raids, ruin and devastation, notably at Viipuri. He talked to every sort of person, from the Swedish volunteers and members of ski patrols to the Russians themselves—and, after the tragic anti-climax caused by peace, briefly to refugees.

All the time he was putting his despatches over, sometimes from the most frigid and inaccessible places. He tells us he did not have to talk "to live," as did one unfortunate American whom he met. But, whether or not, his matter was "live" when it reached the listener, and is equally so from the printed page.

SPRAYING THE POTATOES

BY PATRICK KAVANAGH.

THE barrels of blue potato-spray
Stood on a headland of July
Beside an orchard wall where roses
Were young girls swinging from the sky.

The flocks of green potato-stalks
Were blossom-spread for sudden flight;
The Arran Banners wearing blue,
The Kerrs Pinks in a frivelled white.

And over that potato field
A hazy veil of woven sun.
Dandelions growing on headlands, showing
Their unpraised hearts to everyone.

And I was there with a knapsack sprayer.
On the barrel's edge poised a wasp was floating
Dead on a withered briar-leaf
Over a copper-poisoned ocean.

The axle-roll of a rut-locked cart
Broke the burnt stick of noon in two.
An old man came through a cornfield
Remembering his youth and the Ruth he knew.

He turned my way. "God further the work."
He echoed an ancient farming prayer.
I thanked him. He eyed the potato-drills.
He said: "You're bound to have good ones there."

We talked, and our talk was a theme of kings,
A theme for strings. He hunkered down
In the shade of the orchard wall. O roses,
The old man dies in the young girl's frown.

And poet lost to potato fields,
Remembering the lime and copper smell
Of the spraying mixture, he is not lost,
Or till blossomed stalks cannot weave a spell.

NEW NOVELS

So Perish the Roses. By Neil Bell. Collins. 9/6 net.

IT is not Neil Bell's fault that his excellent novel, with Charles Lamb for protagonist, treads on the sorest of our critical corns. The fashion of presenting, in the guise of fiction, research which might constitute a new biography, is historically misleading to all except specialists. But Mr. Bell was not going to add another to the extant *Lives* of Lamb—even as a corrective. From a study of his hero's correspondence, he declares the popular notion of "gentle Elia" to have been "the most spurious legend that ever distorted the truth and betrayed a man of genius." We need not, therefore, expect to find in his pages:

"an emasculated whimsical ineffectual angel, a strange inhuman being to whom literature was everything, life little, and love nothing."

Actually we should not have expected it. Poetic sensitiveness is a misleading quality. It may resemble, on the surface, meekness or whimsicality—but the smouldering fires will break out.

Sensitiveness may lose itself in liquor, and the legend of Elia's gentle ineptness is demolished in these virile pages. When he was drunk, he could be very rude; when sober, thwarted and broken-hearted. Pathos remains, as it always must, when frustration does not result in worse violence. The roses of hope never flowered for Charles in his personal life, whatever the literary successes of Elia.

Readers will now understand the significance of "Mackery End in Hertfordshire"; they will meet the four women loved by this ill-starred genius—the first of these a country lass (the "Alice" of "Dream Children," Anne Simmons by name). The relation between him and his afflicted sister, Mary, is studied with great discernment. Did the legend deplored by Mr. Bell originate here? And is such gentleness to be despised?

He was sometimes wrong in his critical judgments; but his under-valuation of Keats may have been affected by their unique and grotesque meeting, which shocked Keats, and no wonder! Coleridge, on the other hand, was Steerforth to his David Copperfield: without Steerforth's facial beauty or moral laxity except towards the daemon of laudanum. Literary aspirants may draw courage from the fact that Lamb was earning sixpence apiece for "jests" for nearly three years before "Elia" found his medium in the "London Magazine"—with Tom Hood as sub-editor, Allan Cunningham, de Quincy, Barry Cornwall, Hazlitt and Leigh Hunt as colleagues.

Among other good things there are thumb-nail sketches of Wordsworth which are authentically Neill Bell in brilliance. This may be considered by some a "sad" book; but the author of "A Quaker's Meeting" had found at least artistic sublimation for the joys which life denied him. For the humorous side of propaganda there is an extract from a letter to Fanny Kelly (Lamb's third love) on a rumour regarding the treatment of French prisoners of war. We finished this admirable book with regret.

Dude Woman. By Peter B. Kyne. Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3 net.

As a writer of "Western" fiction Mr. Peter B. Kyne has long been established among the leaders in the craft. In "Dude Woman," however, he introduces a fresh note into the "Western" and he writes of a young woman—May Sutherland—who buys a ranch (out of cussedness) and sets out to prove that she is by no means a "dude." Miss Sutherland shows herself quite a tough female and earns not only the respect of the cow-punchers, but a very pleasant romance as well. Mr. Kyne's description of Len Henley's ride on Mad Hatter—"champion bucking horse of the world"—is better than any movie.

May We Come Through. By Roland Pertwee. Peter Davies. 7/6 net.

The author of this collection of short stories does not belong to the high-art school. He is a popular writer of the shiny magazine variety, and as such occupies a high place in his class. He knows how to flavour the commonplace or vulgar with just that touch of mysticism and poetry which delights the ordinary reader. Not too much of it—about as much as Hollywood stipulates.

One of the best stories in the book is called, "The Saga of Lax The Salmon." This tale begins like high literature, but suddenly sinks to the level of popular Sunday journalism. Lax was "a monster salmon with a tail as wide as a lady's fan," which, as well as describing the salmon, also describes the sort of literary fish the author is.

Mr. Pertwee has humour of the rather silly variety; the sort of thing that can be very boring in large doses. To such a class belong "Museum Piece" and "The Change Over."

"Museum Piece" is the sad tale—meant to be excruciatingly funny—of a young blood of the year 1873, whose hat was blown off his head by a gust of wind down the streets of London. He was going to meet his girl, and in those days, it appears, a hatless young man was a creature to be pitied very much. Not a bad story all the same.

Another story, "Irene Married Money," is a perfect example of the popularity mixture which might be studied by all writers who aspire to make a million. The mixture is—love as a background with some big political names like Eden and Churchill stuck in. Then, there is humour, some easy French phrases and some particularly rare jewels.

Near the Sporting Club he found a florist and bought some gardenias for Ellen. The girl in the shop packed them in cotton wool and gave him a crimson carnation, prettily pinning it in his buttonhole. "*Pour la bonne chance*," said she.

Presently he found himself before the windows of a jeweller. Nowhere on earth are jewels more temptingly displayed than at Monte Carlo.

The mixture, as before. It never fails!

The Flying Visit. By Peter Fleming. London: Cape. 5/- net.

Herr Hitler decides to fly over Britain; his aerial inspection begins, but a time bomb wreck the aircraft and he is the sole survivor—alighting with a parachute and his Field-Marshal's uniform in the Chiltern Hills. The Fuehrer speaks no English and his subsequent adventures—including the winning of first prize at a fancy dress dance—are triumphs of the nimble mind of Mr. Fleming.

The unusual visitor falls into the hands of the British Government and proves an even bigger problem as a prisoner than he did as an opponent. The Government becomes thoroughly embarrassed and it is finally decided that the easiest way out of the dilemma would be return their prisoner in the same manner as he arrived in Britain.

"The Flying Visit" is delightfully fantastic and amusing; Mr. Fleming's temporary departure from his accounts of wanderings in uncomfortable parts of the world has had admirable results for readers of lighter literature. And, of course, David Low's cartoons are as clever as usual.

Some Famous Spies

Stories from the Last War

I Knew Those Spies. By Felix Gross. London: Hurst and Blackett. 12/6 net.

HERR GROSS was an important member of the German *Nachrichten Dienst* under the redoubtable Colonel Nicolai during the Great War, and he has some lively tales to tell of the Secret Service. Some of his stories border on the fantastic; but, then, espionage is a fantastic business in which the truth very often is far stranger than fiction.

Take the case of the notorious Colonel Redl, who, while head of the Austrian Secret Service shortly before the war, actually was in Russian pay, and sold all the Austrian mobilisation plans to St. Petersburg, thereby, according to Herr Gross, contributing in no small measure to the Central Powers' defeat. Colonel Redl's case is historically authentic in every detail, and none of the other remarkable instances of secret service work related by Herr Gross can compare with it for sheer improbability.

Fräulein Doktor

Some of his most interesting chapters deal with the spying activities of the famous Fräulein Doktor, an exceedingly attractive young woman, who seems to have had more brains than all the other German agents put together. When some particularly difficult or dangerous job was to be done—in Paris, for example—Fräulein Doktor was chosen; and the description of her adventures makes thrilling reading. Herr Gross declares that on one occasion she actually managed to get a job as cook in the modest household of the head of the French Secret Service in a Paris suburb. She also "vamped" an elderly French general with conspicuous success, being herself apparently imperyious to masculine charm; but ultimately she seems to have fallen in love with a Turkish officer, whom she set out to seduce from his allegiance.

Fräulein Doktor was sufficiently conventional as a "super-spy" to be a morphine fiend; but her story holds the attention from start to finish, and the holiday-maker who wants a first-rate "thriller" need not go farther than Herr Gross's fascinating book.

More About Dogs

Nine Dogs. By Lorna Lewis. London: Nelson. 3/6 net.

MISS LEWIS has made careful studies of nine individual dogs, some from England and others from continental countries. The characteristics of the dogs are based on facts, while the incidents are mostly fictional. The dogs are part of a man-made world and enter into the lives of their respective owners as devoted friends, loyal servants, and playmates, or—as in the case of the Dutch barge dog, the sheep dog and the dog of Belgium who pulled his master's cart—as fellow workers. The author knows her dogs and presents them as very real personalities.

Children's Corner

How a Hen Saved the Queen of the Fairies

The Little Black Hen. By Eileen O'Faolain. Illustrated by Trefor Jones. London: Humphrey Milford for the Oxford University Press. 3/6 net.

MRS. O'FAOLAIN works upon a recognisable framework, but with individual observation and kindly imaginativeness. Her charming story of Cossy Darg, or Red Legs, the little black hen, has its origin in the same folk traditions as Mairin Cregan's "Old John." There was a little hen in that book, too, unless memory is cheating us. But Cossy Darg was unique in her adventures: because, according to old Biddy, who owned her, she was hatched out in the Fairy Fort; and, as the story shows, she had the Fairy cock for a foster father. This was very trying for her human owner, because the Fairies took a fancy to steal her and had nothing to do but blow her through the *Cola Vrac* in the mountains when they wanted someone to do extra chores for them!

Old Biddy is the ostensible story-teller in this case; but the main idea was gleaned from an old man, a *shanachie* whom Mrs. O'Faolain found in the mountains of West Cork. Bantry is the market town mentioned in the narrative, so children from those parts can identify the places, and this is a good bed-time story and picture-book for anyone. It is the Junior Book of the Month Club's recommendation for June.

The Holidays of Yesteryear

Three Weeks in Provence

I Were My Linen Trousers. By Basil Collier. London: Dent. 15/- net.

WHEN Mr. Collier packed his bag and set out for Provence last summer there were rumours and rumblings of war. Since he spent that idyllic holiday war has come. The face of Europe has been changed. France is a conquered nation. Yet the pleasant places which he visited, Avignon, Beaucaire, Tarascon, Arles, Aix, and all the others remain to-day as they have remained for centuries: peaceful, mellow, sun-warmed, almost unchanging.

The publishers say that this is not a guide book. Surely they are mistaken! It is the kind of book that should attract anybody to go and sample for himself the charm of old Provence; its old towns that have stood dreamily quiet while time rushed by; its calm, friendly countryside with cypresses, poplars and olive trees etched sharply against an ineffably blue sky; and Mr. Collier, with his fresh and light-hearted style of writing, is a delightful guide. We have seldom found the spirit of Provence more neatly captured.

Laces of History

But he does not spend all his time in the Sabbath calm of the country. He takes us also to Monte Carlo, Nice, Cannes, Saint Tropez, Toulon and Marseilles, and gives us quite an exhilarating glimpse of the gay, gaudy, opulent coast.

He laces his story with strands of history from the Roman occupation onwards, and he has the additional accomplishment of being an excellent photographer. The twenty-five photographs which he publishes are jobs of work as good as anything we have seen for a long time.

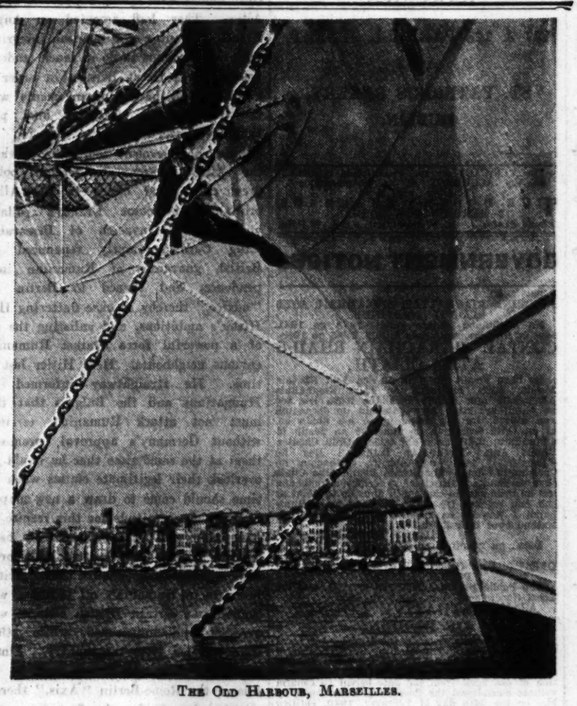
The Distaff Side

Storing, Preserving and Pickling. By Herbert Mace. London: Black. 2/6 net.

JAM-MAKING and preserving has become almost a forgotten art, but this little book, which covers almost the whole field in its ninety odd pages, tries to restore an amount of practical knowledge which was familiar to virtually every housewife a generation ago. It tells first how to store vegetables and fruit in the natural state; next how to preserve by drying, salting and heat sterilisation; and, finally, how to bottle successfully. There are dozens of recipes also for jams and conserves, pickles, condiments and cordials.

The aim at one time was just to preserve the fruit from rot. Nowadays we expect something more than a "fresh taste." We know now that the nutriment and vitamen qualities must be preserved as well, and it is with that end in view that these recipes have been principally devised.

A useful little book!



THE OLD HARBOUR, MARSEILLES.
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Behind the Fleets. By A. D. Divine. London: John Murray. 5/- net.
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POETRY AND DRAMA.

Fear No More. Poems by various living English poets. Cambridge: The University Press. 3/6 net.

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Survey of British Commonwealth Affairs. Vol. II. Part I. By W. K. Hancock. London: Humphrey Milford for the Oxford University Press. 15/- net.
Evacuation Survey. By Richard Padley and Margaret Cole. London: Routledge. 10/6 net.
Control of Aliens in the British Commonwealth of Nations. By C. F. Fraser. London: The Hogarth Press. 12/6 net.

Panama and Suez

The Story of the Two Canals

Suez and Panama. By Andre Siegfried. London: Jonathan Cape. 10/6 net.

PALMERSTON'S hostility to the Suez Canal is historic. In a speech in 1856 he declared it to be an undertaking which might be deemed to rank among "the many bubble schemes that from time to time have been palmed upon gullible capitalists." He had been reliably informed that the Canal was physically impracticable, except at an expense which would be far too great to warrant any expectation of return. If he knew about Ptolemy's Canal from the Nile to Arsinoe, he attached no importance to it apparently.

To-day the power that controls the Canal is England. While England may control the Canal in a military sense, however, the Suez company is Egyptian in theory and French in fact, in its capital, in staff and in management. Britain holds only three-sevenths of the shares, and has only ten directors to France's nineteen.

Britain uses the Canal more than any other nation. At one time she provided four-fifths of the traffic. Italy's use has increased, and the Italians have been carrying on a noisy campaign for representation on the Board. "Italy would undoubtedly be welcomed," says the author, "if her demands were not purely political and if the way they have been presented could be overlooked. What she really wishes is to participate in the political and military control of the isthmus."

Italy's Ambition

The foregoing is a little of the information about the Suez Canal contained in M. Siegfried's book. He has written the story from the historical, the commercial, and the political point of view, and in view of the events of to-day his book is particularly valuable to the student of world affairs.

At present the story of the Panama Canal is of less importance, but it is a most interesting story at any time: a story of scandal and failure, of the defeat of Ferdinand de Lesseps, who also had built the Suez Canal, by the amopheles mosquito and the greed of company promoters. He was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, and, although the sentence was quashed, it is felt to-day that he was unjustly treated.

Scotland's Desert Islands

Studies of Wild Life

Island Years. By F. Fraser Darling, D.Sc., F.R.S.E. London: Bell. 12/- net.

DR. FRASER DARLING is no arm-chair scientist or field-glass naturalist. If he were, he would not have gone Crusoe-ing on the wildest of uninhabited islands off the West and North-West coast of Scotland to get close-ups of the life there: bird life, and the life of the Atlantic seals, to which some of his best photographs, as well as his most scholarly research, were devoted. His present book, ostensibly given up to the more personal side of his life on the islands, is enough to make his less adventurous colleagues ache with envy as they sit beside their fires.

The expedition established itself first of all on Eilean a' Cleirich, or Clerach, the most westerly of the Summer Isles, off Ross and Cromarty; then moved to Lunga, in the Treshnish Isles, off Mull, and ended with North Rona, "forty-seven miles out to sea from Cape Wrath." All this sounds dull, like an old-fashioned geography book; but the stages of research brought one adventure after another.

The narrative must be followed in order to realise how much success depended (from the naturalist's point of view) on the lady who had charge of the commissariat in these inaccessible places. There was always the risk of an uninvited and uninitiated guest appearing to demolish vast quantities of oily mackerel and raisin fritters, and leave the problem of supplies to be thrashed out when he was gone.

A chapter is devoted to the birds of Clerach, where there are twenty-seven breeding species, including four out of the six species of gull found in our islands. The little awk, which breeds in Greenland, "is an annual winter visitor to the waters of the Minsk." It is interesting to note that the puffin belongs to the awk family: Dr. Darling secured a most engaging photograph of three of these birds, while his studies of birds in flight recall the clever outlines of Peter Scott, the London artist. The grey lag goose comes to Clerach, too, but numbers are diminishing. The other species is the barnacle goose. Herons prey on the young in a semi-cannibalistic manner. At a certain stage the expedition had two wild goslings on its hands, but one of these (with fatal results) swallowed a drawing-pin which no one had suspected to be in the whole of the outfit.

Grey Seals

There is much information here for the bird-lover, but more interesting (if that be possible) was the field research relevant to the history and social behaviour of the grey seal. For one thing the rocks where the seals bask are a pleasanter hunting-ground than a cormorantry, as anyone who has been close to the latter will know! Dr. Darling watched, *inter alia*, a savage fight between bull seals, one of which had wantonly injured a calf.

There was another wonderful fellow—Old Tawny—who let himself be photographed. Finally, the seals showed no fear when Dr. Darling found himself among them in their native element. He digresses into interesting side-issues, like the account of North Roma, with St. Ronan's chapel, cell and burial ground, and the glancing references to an outlaw who had incurred the death penalty for sheep-stealing, but was allowed to be cast away instead on the island of Clerach. London newspapers have recently reviewed a novel which has a similar idea as its central theme. It is instructive to know that there was such a case, and that, if wild life is free and unspoilt in these places, social justice is improving!

This is a book worth treasuring, if only for the photographs alone.

Tristan Da Cunha

Island of Furious Winds

Tristan da Cunha, 1506-1902. By J. Brander. London: Allen and Unwin. 12/6 net.

ISLANDS have a strange fascination for most people, and their charm seems to be in inverse proportion to their size. Tristan da Cunha covers about thirty square miles. Its snow-coiffed volcanic cone rises from South Atlantic bottom 18,000 feet, of which 6,760 feet are above sea level. Admiral Tristano da Cunha discovered it in 1506, and it has been colonised by both the Dutch and English; the name alone of the island recalls its early Portuguese associations.

The real history of Tristan begins with the foundation of a colony by the Scotch Corporal William Glass and his family along, with two Englishmen. After a while there came two Americans two Italians, a Dane and a Dutchman. Thanks to the fine qualities of mind and heart which distinguished the corporal (corporals seem to be remarkable individuals), the little community, in spite of, or, perhaps on account of, difficulties got on astonishingly well.

Augustus Earle

An involuntary guest, the artist and naturalist, Augustus Earle, who had travelled over a great part of the world, was forced to spend eight months on Tristan, as his ship, on account of a gale, had to put to sea. He speaks most warmly of the island men: "Indeed, every one seems equally disposed to serve me and make me reconciled to my present situation."

Of the island he writes: "Looking out from my abode, no spot in the world can be more desolate, particularly on a blowing day. The roar of the sea is deafening, and the wind rushing furiously down the perpendicular sides of the mountains, which are nearly nine hundred feet high, and are masses of craggy rocks, has the most extraordinary and almost supernatural effect. No sooner does night set in than the air is full of nocturnal birds whose screams are particularly mournful."

In 1816 Tristan d'Acunha was occupied by British forces and "one reason for the adoption of that measure was the supposed facility with which an enterprise might be directed against St. Helena for the purpose of enabling Bonaparte to escape from thence." Thus ran a letter to Sir George Cockburn from the Admiralty.

The Ubiquitous Irishman

Peter Green, the Hollander, was for years the chief of Tristan, but he did not consider himself above the others. All shared alike in his domain, where the gales could throw huge blocks of stone about like skittles, but could not conquer the unflinching courage of men. Their vicissitudes were many, but simple Arcadian joys were theirs also.

The ubiquitous Irishman was there also in the person of John Mooney, and we read with interest in a letter by the Rev. William F. Taylor, dated 1851: "The only useful A.B.C. book I could find was Simpson's S.S. Primer . . . . and a couple of Dublin reading books." He had to teach "some forty young persons of age from five to twenty the elements of reading."

There are excellent maps and illustrations in this finely documented book.

What Dublin is Reading

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
MATINEE TO-DAY, 2.30. TO-NIGHT at 8.
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ARTHUR ASKEY, in
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Showing at 2 o'c., 4.30, 7.10 and 9.40.
CONSTANCE MOORE, TOM BROWN in
"MA! HE'S MAKING EYES AT ME."
Showing at 3.10, 5.50, and 8.20.

GRAFTON BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
ALICE FAYE,
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In the Exciting Romance of War-Torn China—
"BARRICADE."
At 3.0, 5.15, 7.25, 9.40. Official Army Film, etc.

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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), 3.30 and 8.30.
VINCE BARNETT and LEON AMES in
"EAST SIDE KIDS."
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BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
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TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), at 3.30 and 8.30 p.m.
BING CROSBY, DOROTHY LAMOUR, BOB HOPE in
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CHARLIE RUGGLES and MARTHA RAYE in
"THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER."
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
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ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF IRELAND.—111th Annual Show—Flowers, Fruit, Vegetables and Honey. In Diocesan Hall, Upper Baggot street, on Thursday and Friday, 8th and 9th August. Particulars from 12 Hume street, Dublin.

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LAUREL AND HARDY, in "SAPS AT SEA."
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FILM at 2 o'c., 4.30, 7.2, 9.39.
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TO-MORROW (Sunday)—Book Now for 8.30 Show.
Two Great Stars in the Screen's Greatest Thrill,
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At 2.9, 4.45, 7.20, 9.57.
LOUISE PLATT, DONALD WOODS, WYNNE GIBSON, in "FORGOTTEN GIRLS."

SAVOY BOOK NOW FOR 8.30 SUNDAY SHOW.
EDGAR WALLACE'S GREATEST THRILLER!
MARIUS GORING, PENELOPE DUDLEY WARD, HELEN HAYE, in
"THE CASE OF THE FRIGHTENED LADY."
At 2.55, 5 o'c., 7.25, 9.40.
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A Dramatic Triumph for Dublin's Own Star,
MAUREEN O'HARA, ADOLPHE MENJOU, HERBERT MARSHALL,
IN
"A BILL OF DIVORCEMENT."
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ASTOR.
FIRST TIME TO EIRE: NOT A RE-ISSUE.
RAYMOND MASSEY, in
"SPIRIT OF THE PEOPLE."
SHOWING AT 1.50, 4.15, 6.40, 9.5.

CARLTON BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
OTTO KRUGER and ONA MUNSON, in
"SCANDAL SHEET."
Sensational Newspaper Drama.
Showing at - o'c., 5.15, 7.30, 9.45.
Also FRED STONE and ROCHELLE HUDSON, in
"KONGA," the King of Wild Horses.
Showing at 2 o'c., 4.15, 6.30, 8.45.

THE GREEN. TO-DAY AT 2.33, 4.45, 6.55, 9.5.
JAMES CAGNEY, PRISCILLA LANE,
"THE ROARING TWENTIES"
MATS. TILL 5, 8d., 1/4. EVGS. 9d., 1/-, 1/4, 1/9.

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TO-DAY:
"GULLIVER'S TRAVELS."
Showing at 4.10, 6.40 and 9.20 p.m.
Also "OPENED BY MISTAKE."
SUNDAY.
MARGARET LINDSAY, J. CARROLL NAISH,
In "SONG OF THE CITY."
Also "MARRIED AND IN LOVE."

REGENT BLACKROCK. ALAN JONES, MARY MARTIN, in "THE GREAT VICTOR HERBERT."

ADELPHI. RETAINED FOR SECOND WEEK.
MICKEY ROONEY, LEWIS STONE,
In their Latest Hardy Family Comedy,
"JUDGE HARDY AND SON,"
With CECILIA PARKER, FAY HOLDEN.
Showing at 2.0, 4.30, 7.0, 9.30.
BOOK FOR SUNDAY NIGHT FROM 11 a.m. TO-DAY and 12.15 p.m. SUNDAY.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
ANGELINA JANE MATHEWS, late of 83 Upper Leeson street, in the City of Dublin, Spinster Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate or assets of the said Angelina Jane Mathews, who died on the 30th day of October, 1939, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands on or before the 31st day of August, 1940, to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor of the said Deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 16th day of February, 1940, forth of the Principal Probate Registry, High Court of Justice in Eire.

And Notice is hereby given that after the said 31st day of August, 1940, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1940.
HOEY & DENNING, Solicitors for the Executor, Provincial Bank Chambers, 1/2 College street, Dublin.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS.
JOHN JOSEPH BAKER, late of 33 Mount Pleasant Square, Ranelagh, Dublin, Proof Reader, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of Deceased, who died on the 6th day of February, 1940, are hereby required, on or before the 31st day of August next, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor of Deceased, and in default thereof Deceased's assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1940.
HAYES & SONS, Solicitors, 41 and 42 Nassau street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
CHRISTOPHER ANDREW MARTIN, late of 27 Wellington quay, Dublin, Merchant Tailor.

All persons having claims not already furnished against the estate of the above-named Deceased are required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administratrix on or before the 24th day of August, 1940, after which date the assets will be distributed.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1940.
A. O'HAGAN & SON, 9 Harcourt street, Dublin.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

GYMKHANA,
WOODTOWN MANOR,
RATHFARNHAM,
TO-DAY (SATURDAY),
JULY 27th, 2.30 o'clock.

DUBLIN/LIVERPOOL SERVICE.

THE B. & I. LINE
HAVE TO ANNOUNCE THAT THERE WILL BE
NO SAILING ON MONDAY,
5th AUGUST.
THE SAILINGS FOR WEEK ENDING 10th AUGUST WILL BE ON
TUESDAY, AUGUST 6th, and THURSDAY, 8th.

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GARDENS AND RHODODENDRON WALK
OPEN SUNDAYS and BANK HOLIDAYS.
Admission 6d., from 3.0 to 6.30.

LONGFORD URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.
NOTICE OF CHANGE OF DATE OF 5th AUGUST CATTLE, SHEEP AND HORSE FAIR.

Owing to the 5th of August Fair falling on a Bank Holiday, notice is hereby given that the Fair will be held on TUESDAY, the 6th AUGUST, 1940.

By Order,
Courthouse, Longford. M. T. LAMB,
23rd July, 1940. Clerk.

CHURCH NOTICES.

A PUBLIC MEMORIAL SERVICE
FOR THE LATE
CAPTAIN REGINALD WALLIS
(General Secretary, City of Dublin Y.M.C.A., 1921-1933)
Will (D.V.) be held in the
METROPOLITAN HALL
(LOWER ABBEY STREET)
On TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) at 8.30 p.m.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public, and especially to Capt. Wallis's many friends in the City of Dublin and District.

MERRION HALL,
LOWER MERRION STREET.
12 Noon. Preacher To-morrow: 7 p.m.
MR. EDWARD E. RANKIN.

BIBLE Prophecy—To-morrow (Sunday) at 8.30 p.m., Lantern Lecture by Mr. A. J. Ferris, B.A., The Message of Esdras For To-day, The Hall, 5 Northumberland Road (near Mount Street Bridge). Collection to defray expenses. Early attendance is advised to ensure a seat. See Church Services.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES

F.3928/3/40.
AN ROINN RIAGHALTAIS AITEAMHAIL AGUS SLAINTE POIBLIDHE.
Na hAchtanna Sláinte Poiblí, 1878 go 1931, agus na hAchtanna Rialtais Aitiúla, 1925 go 1936.
CONTAE RIARACHAIN BHAILE ATHA CLIATH.

Do bhun Fo-ailt (2) d'Alt 68 den Acht Rialtais Aitiúla, 1925, bheireann an tAire Riaghaltais Aiteamhail agus Sláinte Poiblidhe fógra leis seo go bhfuil ar intinn aige daingniú do dhéanamh gan atharú, tar éis seachtaine ó n-a dháta so, ar an Ordú Sealadach do rinne sé an 24adh lá d'Fheabhra, 1940 agus dar teideal Ordú Chontae Bhaile Atha Cliath (An Bóthar i Ros Eó d'Fheabhsú), 1940, ag tabhairt comhachta do Chomhairle Chontae Riaracháin Bhaile Atha Cliath chun na dhailte tuairiscitear sa Sceideal a ghabhann leis an Ordú san do cheannach agus do thógaint ar shlí eile seachas tré chó-aontú chun an bhóthair puiblí i Ros Eó sa Chontae Riaracháin sin do leathnú agus d'fheabhsú.

J. HURSON, Rúnaí.
Dáta: an 25adh lá so d'Iúl, 1940.

DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC HEALTH.
The Public Health Acts, 1878 to 1931, and the Local Government Acts, 1925 to 1936.
ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTY OF DUBLIN.

Notice is hereby given by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, in pursuance of Sub-section 2 of Section 68 of the Local Government Act, 1925, that he intends after the expiration of one week from the date hereof to confirm without amendment the Provisional Order made by him on the 24th day of February, 1940, entitled the Dublin County (Improvement of Road at Rush) Order, 1940, empowering the Council of the Administrative County of Dublin to purchase and take otherwise than by agreement the lands described in the Schedule to the said Order for the purpose of widening and improving the public road at Rush, in the said Administrative County.

J. HURSON, Rúnaí.
Dated this 25th day of July, 1940.
37/Z.3657. W.H.Co.

COIMISINEIRI NA nOIBREACHA POIBLIDHE
(Commissioners of Public Works).
SALE OF WEIGHBRIDGES.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to but not later than 12 o'clock noon on the 3rd August, 1940, for the Purchase of all or any of Five Weighbridges, four in the Phœnix Park and one in the Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.

The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.

Full particulars and Order to View may be had from

GEO. P. FAGAN,
Runaidhe (Secretary).
Oifig na nOibreacha Poiblidhe (Office of Public Works), Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin).
37/Z. 3663. W.H.Co.

NOTICE.
AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS EQUIPMENT.

The Department of Defence is prepared to approve of Specifications of various types of equipment designed for air raid precautions purposes—e.g., Stirrup Pumps, Incendiary Bomb Containers, Scoops, etc.

SELLERS of such articles are invited to submit a specification and a sample of each such article for approval to the Secretary, Department of Defence, Air Raid Precautions Branch, St. John's road, Kingsbridge, Dublin. In each case where such approval is accorded the articles conforming to such specification may be offered for sale as having been approved by the Department of Defence.

The PUBLIC are advised, in their own interest, before purchasing air raid precautions equipment, to inspect the certificate covering such equipment, and to satisfy themselves that the article offered is in accordance with the approved specification.

Roinn Cosanta, Baile Atha Cliath,
37/Z.3667. W.H.Co.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.32	5.34
Sets	9.30	9.28
Lighting-up Time	10.30	10.28

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	5.23	6.25
Evening	5.51	6.59

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	11.56	—
Belfast	4.33	5.10
Cork	11.12	11.42
Cobh	11. 9	11.39
Drogheda	5.11	5.39
Dundalk	5. 8	5.36
Galway	11.12	11.33
Kinsale	10.58	11.28
Limerick	0.12	12.42
Sligo	11.58	—
Waterford	—	12.10
Westport	11.46	—

DEATH.

HALLINAN—July 27, 1940, at his residence, Cosy Lodge, Sandymount, Dublin, Thomas F. Hallinan, beloved husband of Helen Hallinan. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1940.

Rumania's Dilemma

Tension in South-Eastern Europe shows no sign of immediate relief, and the people of that much vexed quarter of the earth continue to be doubtful of their future. From his lofty eerie in Berchtesgaden, Herr Adolf Hitler, who has constituted himself arbiter of Balkan destinies, continues to brood over the future of German policy in the Danubian basin, while his generals in the West are wondering when he will give the signal for their long-awaited attack on Great Britain. Rumania is the cause of most of the trouble. When Soviet Russia decided that Rumania must disgorge at least some of the territory which had been awarded to her by the victorious Allies in 1919, the other States that had been stripped of provinces to enrich Greater Rumania naturally became rather restive. The Russians simply marched in and took possession of Bessarabia and part of the Bukovina without a word of warning; and the Rumanians did not lift a finger to prevent them. The Hungarians, who had been agitating consistently for twenty years in their efforts to enlist world sympathy for the recovery of Transylvania, took the view that what had been done by the Russians also could be done by them, and, remembering the success with which they had assisted at the dismemberment of Czecho-Slovakia last year, prepared to follow Moscow's example. The Bulgars also began to pluck up renewed courage. They had lost the Dobrudja to the Rumanians after the Balkan War of 1913. During the Great War they recovered it for a time, as a result of von Mackensen's easy conquest of Rumania; but, when the Allies beat the Germans, the Dobrudja was part of the reward that was given to Rumania for her help. Russia's descent into Bessarabia encouraged the Bulgars to bring forward once more their claims to this important province, and for a time it looked as if they, too, would launch an armed attack on Rumania. At this stage of the proceedings, however, Herr Hitler intervened, insisting that there must be no extension of the war to the Balkan Peninsula.

King Carol of Rumania is an astute politician, as well as a man of character. He is a member of a dynasty which has its origin in the Hohenzollern family; but he always has had decided sympathies with France and Great Britain, and, when the present war broke out, he and his Government were strong supporters of the Allies. They had accepted an Anglo-French guarantee of Rumanian integrity; they were anxious to do as much trade as possible with Great Britain in order to avoid further barter arrangements with the German, Dr. Clodius; and, particularly after Turkey's decision to exercise a benevolent neutrality towards the Allies, Rumania's foreign policy drew closer and closer to the Allied orbit. Then came France's collapse and Russia's invasion of Bessarabia. King Carol promptly renounced the British guarantee of Rumanian independence, and turned to Berlin for "advice," thereby at once flattering Herr Hitler's ambitions, and enlisting the aid of a powerful force against Rumania's envious neighbours. Herr Hitler lost no time. He straightway informed the Hungarians and the Bulgars that they must not attack Rumania's territory without Germany's approval, promising them at the same time that he would not overlook their legitimate claims when the time should come to draw a new map of Europe. In gratitude for this respite the Rumanians not only turned their backs on the British, but started a vigorous newspaper campaign against them. British interests in Rumania's oil industry were confiscated; certain British citizens were arrested and imprisoned, while others were expelled from the country. Almost over-night Rumania swung over to the side of the Rome-Berlin "Axis," thereby aligning herself for the first time with Hungary, much to the embarrassment of the lordly Magyars. One cannot but admire the skill with which King Carol has played an exceedingly difficult hand; the result of his audacious *finesses* remains to be seen.

The Rumanians could not hope to stand up to the Russians; but they have an efficient army, and would not hesitate to take on the Hungarians and Bulgars together if they could be sure that Germany would hold the ring. They also dread another attack by the Russians, this time on the Dobrudja. Yesterday Herr Hitler conferred for two and a half hours at Berchtesgaden with the Rumanian Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary. The official *communiqué* was bald and ambiguous; but there seems to be no doubt that the Fuehrer spoke frankly to his Balkan visitors. Germany, apparently, is willing to give Rumania a certain measure of protection—mainly, one presumes, against the Russians—but Herr Hitler cannot ignore the importunities of the Magyars, who, incidentally, have been receiving strong support from Signor Mussolini. In these circumstances, he is reported to have told the Rumanians that some form of compromise is essential. Rumania must forfeit some of her post-war territorial gains either now or when the present war is over. Something must be done to satisfy Hungary's claims to Transylvania. It seems that King Carol might not be unwilling to cede a strip of territory along the Transylvania frontier; but the Hungarian Government is insisting on the recovery of Kolosvar (Cluj), the capital of the province, and the Rumanians are refusing point-blank to give it up. Manifestly they are afraid that, if they show an accommodating attitude towards the Hungarians, the Bulgars will expect them to be equally generous in respect of the Dobrudja. Furthermore, the Bulgars have the Soviets at their backs, and Messrs. Stalin and Co., are only too anxious to fish in the Balkans' troubled waters. Rumania is between the devil and the deep sea. Her policy from the outset has been wholly opportunist; and, while it would not be fair to blame King Carol for his political *volte face*, he hardly can avoid its consequences.

America Moves

The remaining months of President Roosevelt's second term of office promise to be lively. On Thursday he ordained that petroleum, petroleum products and scrap metal could not be exported from the United States except under licence, thereby placing them in the category of war materials. The Japanese are highly indignant, as well they may be. Hitherto Japan has depended almost entirely upon America for her supplies of oil, and she is by far the biggest customer of the United States for scrap metal. She will suffer severely from the ban; for, without these American supplies, her chances of success against the Chinese Nationalists are impaired to a very substantial degree. The Japanese, in at least one respect, are an honest people: they make no effort to conceal their feelings; and they are making no effort to conceal what they think of President Roosevelt. President Roosevelt, however, is not likely to care. American opinion has been outraged by the recent "diplomatic" victories, as a result of which the Chinese armies' supply of war materials *via* Hong Kong, Burma and French Indo-China has been stopped; and it will interpret the President's decision as a reasonable *quid pro quo*. The President dare not take any openly hostile action against Japan; for the same body of "isolationist" opinion which forbids war against Germany and Italy forbids it also against Japan. Technically, the embargo on oil and scrap metal is directed against nobody in particular: actually, the Japanese will be the chief losers. There will be other losers, however. Considerable quantities of these materials were exported until a few months ago to Italy—whence they found their way overland to Germany. Since Italy entered the war and became a victim of the British blockade, this route has been closed—but Spanish purchases are understood to have increased. From now onwards we may expect to see American sales to Spain brought under rigorous control.

Much help can be extended to Great Britain by the friendly American people without a declaration of war, formal or otherwise; but assistance to Great Britain is not the whole concern of the United States. Her main purpose, indeed, is to keep Germany in check, lest her own power may be impaired. This is the function of the proposal, made at the Pan-American Conference, for a "cartel" system for the various American Republics. New point has been given to the proposal by a recent broadcast of Dr. Funk, Herr Hitler's Minister of National Economy, in which he said that Germany intends to organise Europe "to deal with the rest of the world on a barter basis." Such a threat to American commercial supremacy hardly can be overlooked, and the United States is not overlooking it. In effect, the German plan is to combine the Reich itself, together with Holland, Belgium, Denmark, Norway and the other nations under German influence into an economic *bloc*, so formidable that it will be able to deal with any exporting country virtually on its own terms. Such a *bloc* could not pay in currency; instead, it must arrange a system of barter. To this buying *bloc* the United States is trying to oppose a selling *bloc*. It hopes to persuade all the American Republics to pool their resources, and to entrust the entire commerce of the huge combine thus created to an administrative body, selected from all the States which will deal with any customers who desire to buy. There are lions in the way. Argentina has been practising barter, to some degree, with the totalitarian countries, and has no desire to impair her prospects of bigger and better deals if, by any chance, the war should end in Germany's favour. That is precisely what the United States hopes to prevent. An Argentina dependent on commerce with Germany and Italy would be penetrated gradually by German and Italian influence, and a very grave threat to the interests of the rest of America would arise.

Ireland's Food

The Government in its efforts to increase tillage and food production in the twenty-six counties has received the full reward of its virtue. Altogether there are in the country to-day some 410,000 more acres in production than there were at this time last year, and we may rely on it that by the summer of 1941 there will be still more land under the plough. We may console ourselves with the thought, therefore, that come what may in the years ahead there will be food and to spare in this country. The aim of the compulsory tillage scheme was to increase production this season by at least one-eighth. There are to-day almost 55,000 more acres under wheat, about 145,000 more acres in oats. Barley, which last year covered only 73,800 acres, now covers almost twice that area of land. There are almost 50,000 more acres of potatoes and 57,500 more acres of hay. The advice, too, that farmers should convert their spring and aftergrass into ensilage for winter cattle food seems to have had a widespread effect. Already most imported goods have become scarce and expensive, and they are bound to become still more scarce and still more expensive as the months go by. If agriculture is maintained, however, even at its existing level, we are in the fortunate position of having to offer in return for the commodities which we must import one of the most valuable articles in Europe at the present time. We have food in abundance. Without effort we have sufficient for our own needs; but mere self-sufficiency is not enough. Rich markets are clamouring now more than ever for the foods which our fertile soil can produce so easily, and next to defence the country's welfare demands that agriculture must be—as it always should have been—our very first concern. It is gratifying to see the great increase of tillage that has taken place in the last few months, but on the adverse side of the balance is a falling off in the number of live-stock. The Government has been successful in its plans for an increase of tillage. We hope that, by the introduction of some similarly effective scheme, the number of live-stock will return next year at least to its old figure.

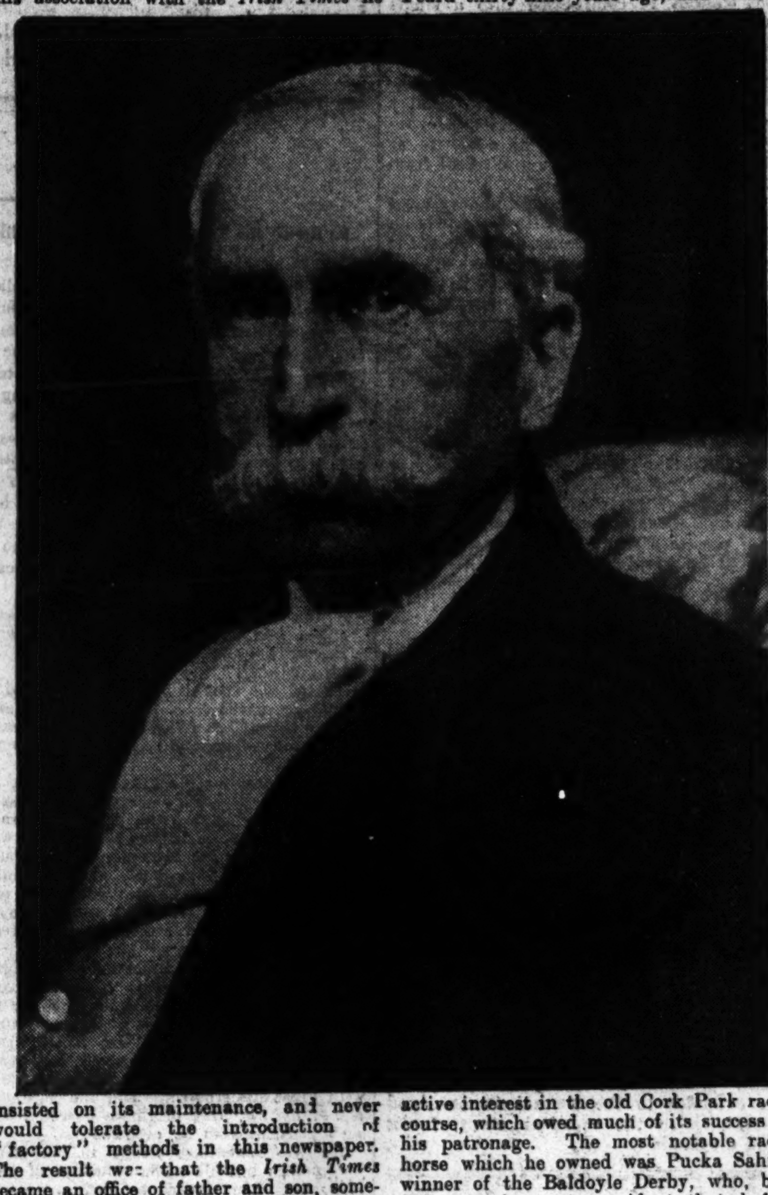
SIR JOHN ARNOTT, Bart.

WE deeply regret to announce the death, which took place at his residence, Shearwater, Baily, Co. Dublin, yesterday, of Sir John Alexander Arnott, Bart., Chairman of the *Irish Times*, Limited. He had been laid up for some months, but his magnificent constitution encouraged the hope that he might survive a painful illness, and he retained his full mental vigour up to the end.

He was eighty-six years of age, the eldest son of the first Baronet, Sir John Arnott, of Woodlands, Cork, and Mary, daughter of John McKinlay, of Stirling.

He was educated at Cheltenham, and succeeded his father in 1898. He was Deputy Lieutenant and Justice of the Peace for the Counties of Cork and Dublin, and, when he succeeded to the title, he was an officer in the 4th Battalion of the Cheshire Regiment, from which he retired in 1900 with the rank of Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel. From that time on he occupied himself with his various business interests, particularly the *Irish Times*, Ltd., and the Bristol Steam Navigation Co., of which he was also Chairman.

Sir John inherited from his father the family tradition in business. Throughout his association with the *Irish Times* he insisted on its maintenance, and never would tolerate the introduction of "factory" methods in this newspaper. The result was that the *Irish Times* became an office of father and son, sometimes even of grandfather and grandson, and no change was ever made without the Chairman's consent. He rarely, if ever, interfered with the conduct of the newspaper, but his editors were always given broad principles which must be followed. He took a personal pride in the high standards of journalism which his father had initiated. He hated vulgarity in any shape or form and never would be a party to anything in the nature of "sensationalism." He was one of the last of the old-fashioned newspaper proprietors. It can be said of him with truth that he never compromised his principles; he never permitted the power which his newspaper wielded to be used for any but strictly national and objective purposes.



Changing Times

Sir John was a Conservative in politics, and a staunch supporter of the Church of Ireland. Yet he was opposed strongly to partition, and gave the fullest encouragement to the efforts of the Anti-Partition League, of which Lady Arnott was an active member. When the Irish Free State came into being he was one of the first of his class to accept the new dispensation, and to give the Irish Government his whole-hearted support. Political "die-hards" got scant sympathy from Sir John, who, although he had substantial interests across the Channel, never would entertain the suggestion that he should make his home anywhere but in Ireland. For a man of his age—he was approaching seventy when the Anglo-Irish Treaty was signed—he accommodated himself with remarkable rapidity to the changed conditions in this country. Although he was intensely loyal to the Throne he gave valuable support to the Governments both of Mr. Cosgrave and of Mr. de Valera; and at a time when pessimists were predicting financial collapse, always maintained his firm belief in the essential soundness of Irish economy.

A Patriotic Irishman

Sir John Arnott was a patriotic Irishman in the best sense of the term. He found no difficulty in reconciling an abiding love of his native land with an equally strong attachment to the British Empire.

He was very interested in sport. He was a keen angler, a good shot and an enthusiastic golfer, but his principal interest was in horses. In his day there were few men who rode straighter to hounds. He was chairman of the Phœnix Park Race Club, which he founded in association with the late Mr. J. H. H. Peard thirty-nine years ago, and took an active interest in the old Cork Park racecourse, which owed much of its success to his patronage. The most notable racehorse which he owned was Pucka Sahib, winner of the Baldoyle Derby, who, but for an unfortunate accident that befell him while running in the King's Plate at the Curragh, might have achieved even bigger successes than he did.

As for golf, he had passed his eightieth birthday when he established what must be a record in Irish golf. One summer day a few years ago he played eighteen holes at Portmarnock in the morning, caught the afternoon aeroplane to Croydon, and played another eighteen holes at Wimbledon that same day.

Sir John married, in 1881, Caroline, daughter of the late Sir Frederick Williams, Bart., who later became Dame of the British Empire and Lady of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. Lady Arnott, who died in 1933, was a Justice of the Peace for County Dublin, and was well known throughout Ireland and Great Britain for her activities in connection with charitable and national organisations. Sir John had four sons and three daughters. His eldest son, Captain John Arnott, M.C., of the 15th Hussars, was killed in action in France in 1918. His second daughter, the Contessa Van Cutsem, died in 1936. He is succeeded by Captain Lauriston Arnott, formerly of the 3rd Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, and his two other sons are Mr. Robert Arnott and Major T. Arnott, of the 15/19th Hussars. His daughters are Mrs. Hugh Spence and Lady de Freyne.

LONDON LETTER

MR. CHURCHILL MAY OPEN SECRET DEBATE

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

MR. CHURCHILL may decide to open the secret debate in the House of Commons on Tuesday himself, since the subject is looked upon as of the highest importance. Should he do this he will make his first big speech on the foreign, political, and diplomatic situation since he became British Prime Minister. In such a case the debate will be wound up by Mr. Butler, the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and the sole representative of the Foreign Office in the House of Commons.

Members are hoping that Mr. Churchill will speak, as they are anxious to hear his views and opinions on a situation which is so involved. The debate at present is expected to take place in secret, but it is the opinion of quite a number of members that it would be much wiser to have it in public, so that the world may hear what Mr. Churchill has to say. There is also a view among members that secret sittings are becoming too frequent, and this was apparent when it was announced yesterday that there would be another on Tuesday.

Grouse

It is not improbable that the British Government may decide to abolish the "Glorious Twelfth" of August by permitting grouse-shooting to begin on the 1st or the 5th of that month. This proposal has been put forward in negotiations between Government departments and landowners, as by advancing the season it would be possible to shoot many of the older birds, and to leave the younger birds for a future season. The proposed changes are to be made so that there will be an early supply of the birds for food, and special cold storage arrangements are to be made. Grouse are well forward this season and in greater number than in any average year, the same applying to partridges. The Government have issued instructions for the gathering of a considerable party of guns to shoot some 1,500 deer in Scotland, these also being for food.

Philharmonic Orchestra

The London Philharmonic Orchestra, whose future has been in doubt for some weeks past, is to be taken over by Mr. Jack Hylton, who will retain all the 70 instrumentalists, and arrange for a tour which will begin at Glasgow on August 11th. The members of the orchestra are to be paid union rates, but Mr. Hylton has decided to accept expenses only for his part in the venture, and after the outgoings have been met the entire profits will be divided among the orchestra in the form of bonuses.

Dr. Malcolm Sergant has gone into conference with the Musicians' Union with the idea of arranging programmes, and some famous soloists will be engaged to take part in the concerts. Two concerts a day are to be given in the provincial towns, and they will have varied programmes, the orchestra remaining a week in each place.

The news has given great satisfaction in musical centres, where it has been feared that the orchestra would have to be disbanded owing to lack of public support.

Armour

Armour for soldiers is a step nearer. An official investigation is now being made into the resistance qualities of different materials. Mr. Kenneth Walker, the Harley street surgeon, who has urged the scheme, says in the *British Medical Journal* that the experiments are being conducted by "a new Ministry unhampered by tradition—the Ministry of Home Security." They are also studying, he adds, the types of wound caused by projectiles of different velocities.

"The results should be of the greatest value to medical science," Mr. Walker declares. "The utilisation of this material will be the responsibility of the whole medical profession. It alone can overcome the inertia of the military mind in matters of protection."

Mr. Walker says that his object is to find how best to protect certain selected units of the forces, such as machine-gunners from missiles that have even the high penetrating power of bullets, and how to furnish a much lesser degree of protection to all members of the fighting forces.

The Toy Market

Great Britain has been able to secure nearly the whole of the foreign toy market, and is now exporting toys throughout the world in considerable quantities. It is believed that exports have multiplied several times from the pre-war figure of around £500,000 a year. Every effort is being made by toy manufacturers here to meet a demand from all parts of the world, and it is thought that they are giving satisfaction. At one London factory work is being carried on at full pressure, making toys for export to the United States and the Dominions, as well as to China, South America, and the Dutch East Indies. Much assistance has been provided by the export section of the Board of Trade in enabling British manufacturers to capture foreign markets which previously were largely held by continental countries.

COURT AND PERSONAL

FROM THE *COURT CIRCULAR*.
BUCKINGHAM PALACE, Friday.

The King received the Sultan of Johore this morning.

General the Viscount Gort, V.C., had the honour of being received by His Majesty upon his appointment as Inspector-General to the Forces for Training.

The Duke and Duchess of Windsor, who are at present in Lisbon, will leave shortly for The Bahamas.

The Princess Royal, attended by Lady Carrington, visited the "Spare a Trinket" Fund exhibition earlier in the week. The exhibition is being held at Spink and Son's, King street, St. James's, London, in aid of the Duchess of Northumberland's Benevolent and Comforts' Fund for the A.T.S.

Lord Glentoran was among the Northern visitors to the Curragh Races on Thursday last.

Lord Hailey has returned to London from his tour of British Dependencies in West, East and Central Africa.

Dame Helen Gwynne Vaughan, Chief Controller of Auxiliary Territorial Service, paid a short visit to Belfast during the week. She made a tour of inspection in Northern Ireland districts.

The death of Señora Gloria de Carnevali, wife of Señor Don Atilano Carnevali, Minister for Venezuela in London, has been announced from the Dominican Republic.

Prince Kadja of Iran has arrived in New York from London.

Mrs. M. Warner will return to Galway to-day from Dublin.

Mr. Dan Bulger will remain in Calcutta this year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Ruttledge have left Mansard, Blackrock, and are now residing at Kilgarron, Enniskerry. Telephone 3.

The engagement is announced between Patrick Macleod Ryder, of Icomb Hill Farm, Stow-on-the-Wold, Glos., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ryder, of London, and Jean Stilloughterson Stewart, second daughter of Rev. C. S. and Mrs. Stewart, of St. Peter's Rectory, Drogheda, Eire.

The wedding between Mr. Jack T. Doyle, of Sunny Bank, Bray, and Miss Maureen Meaney, of 54 Morehampton road, Donnybrook, will take place quietly at the end of the month.

The marriage arranged between Albert Williams and Miss Doreen Grey has been postponed owing to family bereavement.

Dr. J. Geraghty will be away from 10 Fitzwilliam square until 2nd September.

Dr. J. S. Quin has left 22 Fitzwilliam place until September.

Doctor M. A. McKeever has left Charleville, Lindsay road, till August 12th.

Dr. P. N. L. Seager has returned to 35 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Mr J. Graham Alford has left 53 Harcourt street until 12th August.

Walter A. Bermingham, Dental Surgeon, will be absent from 54 Harcourt street until the 7th August.

Mr. Alfred Cowan has left 19 Harcourt street until 3rd August.

MR. C. P. M. WORRALL. MISS C. M. MOORE.

The engagement is announced between Claude Worrall, Lieutenant, The Devonshire Regiment, second son of Colonel P. R. Worrall, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., and Mrs. Worrall, Bithham Hall, Avon Dassett, Warwickshire, and Celia, second daughter of Captain Charles Moore, M.C., and the late Lady Dorothie Moore, of Mooresfort, Tipperary, and The Pavilion, Hampton Court Palace, Surrey.

"Gardens." Jubilee Nurses' Pension Fund. To-day (Saturday). Dublin (2 to 6 p.m.)—The Honble. A. E. Guinness, Glenmaroon, Chapelizod. (Chapelizod 'bus.)

Switzers Sale ends at 1 o'clock To-day (Saturday). Final Clearance Offers will be found in all Departments.

Elizabeth Arden's Representative, Miss Sampson, will be at Switzers, Grafton street, from Monday next until August 10th to give Treatments and Consultations.

Calling All Babies! We have Prams, Folders, Cots, Canopies, Moses Baskets, etc., at prices to suit every purchaser. Cash or easy payments. Write for Illustrated Catalogue T, The Baby Carriage Co., 129 Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Tailor-Made Coats and Costumes to order. Bryson, 3 Church lane, off College Green.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Miss Betty Geoghegan and Miss Hilda Griffith will be opening a Nursery and Kindergarten School at Foxrock in September. See Schools and Colleges Column.

Beautiful fashions in shoes to match that new ensemble.—Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., Shoemakers, 26 Stephen's Green.

Maguire and Gatchell are displaying Table Glass of Fashion and Exquisite China, most acceptable and useful Presents, at 10 Dawson street, Dublin.

To LADIES.—Medical Appliances, Belts, etc., Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings which defy detection, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings which need no covering hose and wash well. Lady attendants.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton street.

Sharpley's, Specialists. Baby Linen, Nursery, Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau st., Dublin.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, 27th July, 1915.

95,000 Machine-Guns.

The total gain of ground since 6th July, when the French reconquered Fontenelle, amounts to an advance of one mile on a front measuring half a mile. More than 1,700 prisoners, including thirty-two officers and numerous guns and machine-guns were captured.

In his sector particularly the enemy believed his position to be impregnable, and relied on his heavy artillery and machine-guns to check the French advance. It is now estimated that the Germans, relying so much on the efficacy of the machine-gun, have massed 95,000 machine-guns facing the Allies' lines.

Intense Heat in Alaska.

The extreme heat during the last ten days has caused weather conditions in Alaska never before known. "If the present heat continues," says a message from Junea, "this land of ice and snow will be dubbed 'tropical Alaska.'". The weather bureau thermometer has registered as high as 90 degrees in the shade and the 100 degree mark has been reached by street thermometers. Forest fires are raging in many places, and the glaciers are discharging huge quantities of water. At this time of the year the sun shines for twenty out of the twentyfour hours of the day.

BRITISH ARMY CASUALTY LIST

A Major-General, a Brigadier and two Chaplains appear in the War Office casualty list No. 33 issued to-day (Saturday), containing the names of 72 officers and 860 other ranks.

Major-General R. P. Pakenham-Walsh, M.C. (Commands and Staff), who is one of 41 wounded officers, was earlier this month awarded the C.B. and appointed General Officer Commanding, Northern Ireland District. Last October he was promoted Engineer-in-Chief, British Forces.

BELGIUM'S SALVATION ARMY CHIEF SAFE

Colonel Mary Booth, leader of the Salvation Army in Belgium, has been interned by the Germans at Constance, the Press Association learned in London last night.

A message to this effect has been sent by the War Office to her mother, Mrs. Bramwell Booth.

With Colonel Mary is her secretary, Colonel Eva Smith, daughter of Mr. Frank Smith, former M.P. for Nuneaton.

BRITAIN WILL SUPPORT BULGARIA

RUSSIAN THREAT OF ACTION

War-like Moves in Hungary

GREAT BRITAIN supports Bulgaria in her claims on Rumania for the cession of Southern Dobrudja.

It was made known in Sofia yesterday that Britain would welcome an amicable settlement, as the maintenance of peace in the Balkans would be a definite gain.

This, it was said, does not represent any change of principle by Britain, but follows Rumania's swing-over to the Axis Powers.

While Herr Hitler was talking at Berchtesgaden yesterday to the Rumanian Prime Minister and Foreign Minister, Hungary called up her reserve soldiers from the wheatfields, a Russian broadcast threatened "frontier measures" against Rumania in reply to alleged ill-treatment of refugees, and a semi-official Rumanian statement said that all suggestions giving the impression that Rumania is ready for renunciations of territory are unfounded.

There was in the country, it was added, a firm determination to defend national interests, even with arms.

A Berlin message last night said that it appeared to be certain that Rumania must lose further territory now or at the end of the war.

GERMAN TALKS MYSTERY

For two and a half hours yesterday Herr Hitler was in conference at Berchtesgaden with the pro-Axis Rumanian Prime Minister, M. Gigurtu, and Foreign Minister, M. Manoilescu—the first of the momentous talks with Balkan Statesmen designed to secure German lines of supply from the south-east while Herr Hitler "gets on" with the war against Britain.

As the Rumanians prepared to leave for Rome the Bulgarian delegates left Sofia by air for their meeting with Herr Hitler. The Slovak Statesmen have also been invited to Germany.

The meeting at Berchtesgaden began at four p.m., and earlier the Ministers had been in conference with Herr von Ribbentrop at the German Foreign Minister's country house near Salzburg. With Herr Hitler were Herr von Ribbentrop, the German Minister in Bucharest, and the Rumanian Minister in Berlin.

A *communiqué* issued afterwards stated that the tone of the conversations "reflected the friendly relations between Germany and Rumania." No indication was given of the course of the conversations, nor is a statement likely to be made until the series of interviews has terminated.

A BRITISH VIEW

Bulgaria has been informed through diplomatic channels, it is learned in competent Bulgarian circles in Sofia, that Great Britain would view favourably an amicable settlement with Rumania of the former's claims to Southern Dobrudja.

While it is pointed out that this does not represent any change of principle, or that it is connected with the Salzburg conversations, it is stated that this expression of her attitude has become possible only since the marked swing of the Rumanian Government towards the Axis and the rejection of the British guarantees.

From Britain's point of view a stablised peace in the Balkans is a definite gain.

Yugoslavia, Rumania, Bulgaria and Greece might be described as hanging in the balance from the German point of view. If now an Anglo-Turkish-Russian *bloc* were formed in the Balkans it is probable that the other countries would join in.

MOSCOW'S ATTITUDE

The attitude of Moscow continues to arouse the closest interest in the Hungarian capital. The outcome of the Salzburg talks, it is now taken for granted in Budapest, will be that Herr von Ribbentrop will force the Rumanians to yield a strip of Western Transylvania to Hungary, and that it only remains to be decided how wide the strip shall be.

The view expressed in semi-official and inspired circles is that Hungary will not be content with a half-solution, and that Kolosvar (Cluj), the Transylvanian capital, must in any case be handed over.

Some observers think that Hungary will receive her share in two instalments, the first during August and the second in September.

READY TO FIGHT?

On the other hand, the Rumanian Press yesterday appealed to the nation and the Government to maintain unity, dignity, and the territorial integrity of the country.

There is a noticeable stiffening of the will to fight, and the example of the late King Ferdinand during the last war is cited.

Eight of the twenty Frenchmen who have been ordered to leave Rumania have already been conducted across the frontier. The group included M. Pierre Coulond, general manager of the Columbia Oil Co. Four more are leaving to-day.

Girls, wearing the costume of Dobrudja peasants, sprinkled water as a traditional omen of good fortune on the ground in front of the Bulgarian Ministers when they left Sofia. The delegates are the Prime Minister, Professor Bogdan Filoff and the Foreign Minister, M. Ivan Popoff. They are flying to Vienna, and will continue to Salzburg by train.

SOVIET RADIO THREAT

ANXIETY IN BUCHAREST

BUCHAREST, Friday.

A Kieff broadcast, with a threatening reference to "frontier measures," has occasioned some preoccupation in Rumanian Government circles.

The Soviet spokesman declared that many thousands of refugees were daily arriving from Rumania, and complaining of the tyrannical nature of the Rumanian régime.

Their treatment had better be improved, he added, or the Soviet Government would be obliged to take "frontier measures."—(Reuter.)

GERMAN-SOVIET TALKS IN MOSCOW

MOSCOW, Friday.

Negotiations have been proceeding here on the evacuation from Soviet-occupied Bessarabia and Northern Bukovina of German citizens and persons of German origin, who are desirous of removing to Germany, it was announced to-day. Between 75,000 and 80,000 Germans are affected by the evacuation, according to German sources.

Most of the people come from 23 villages in the neighbourhood of Tarutin and Sarata. They are descendants of Germans from East Prussia and South Germany, who settled there between 1814 and 1842.—(Reuter.)

RUMANIA TALKS OF FORCE OF ARMS

NATIONAL INTERESTS TO BE DEFENDED

BUCHAREST, Friday.

Rumania's determination to defend her interests, by force of arms if necessary, was affirmed in a semi-official statement issued here to-day.

The statement reads:—"The visit to Germany and Italy of the Prime Minister, M. Gigurtu, and the Foreign Minister, M. Manoilescu, demonstrates the desire of Rumania to contribute effectively to the common life of the Danubian and Balkan States, as well as the maintenance of peace in South-East Europe.

"The Rumanian statesmen will make their contribution to the creation of the necessary agreements in this sense without renouncing in any way the national patrimony.

"All suggestions giving the impression that Rumania is ready for renunciations are unfounded. Rumania, following a profoundly pacific policy, is confident that her good relations with her neighbours, as well as the Great Powers, will improve still more.

"There is throughout the country a firm determination not to allow the national interests to be assailed—a firm determination to defend these interests, if need be, even with arms in hand.

"The Rumanian Government is fulfilling its pacific task, with the support of a united public and army."—(Reuter.)

BERLIN VIEW OF THE TALKS

RUMANIA TO MAKE CONCESSIONS

BERLIN, Friday.

It was stated here to-night that it appeared certain that Rumania must lose further territory now or at the end of the war. No official announcement, however, is likely to be made until the cycle of visits of South-Eastern European statesmen is completed. This began with the Hungarians on July 10, and will be continued with Bulgarian and Slovak Envoys now that the Rumanians have been received.

A meeting with Herr Hitler is usually reserved as a last formality, and it may be taken for granted, it was stated in Berlin, that Rumania is willing to make certain concessions to Hungary and Bulgaria.

Informed Nazis said that Germany would not exert pressure on Rumania, but Rumanian Statesmen may decide it more advantageous for them to give up the territory now.—(Associated Press).

AIM OF ROME AND BERLIN TALKS

"OLD ORDER TO BE CAST ASIDE"

ROME, Friday.

The Rome talks with the Rumanian Ministers, like those at Salzburg, aim at sweeping aside the old order established in the Balkans and the Danubian States by Paris and London and setting up a *régime* of "true" peace, according to a diplomatic correspondent of the Stefani Agency.

"The talks at Obersalzberg and the conversations which will take place in Rome tomorrow," he writes, "are within the framework of political collaboration, reorganisation and justice which the two great Axis Powers are following in the Danubian and Balkan spheres.

"The remains of sinister Franco-British policy must be definitely cast aside. For more than 20 years Paris and London believed that they could ensure their hegemony by maintaining on the chess board of South-Eastern Europe, as, indeed, elsewhere, a balance of power based on discord and hatred."

Declaring that such a system made the establishment of a real and stable peace impossible, the correspondent adds: "To-day it is a question of restoring understanding among the peoples of South-Eastern Europe and creating a state of affairs in which collaboration in a *régime* of true peace is possible."

He denies the various rumours which have been current, and concludes: "What is true is that the two axis Powers in perfect cordial agreement are pursuing in the Balkans, as everywhere else, a policy which aims at the establishment of true peace and the development of economic collaboration."—(Repter.)

HUNGARY'S CALL TO ARMS

£24,000,000 CLAIM ON RUMANIA

BUDAPEST, Friday.

Hungary to-night called more men to arms while awaiting the outcome of the conference between Herr von Ribbentrop and the Rumanian and Bulgarian statesmen. Those Rumanian and Bulgarian soldiers who had been released from military sands who had been released from military service to help with the wheat harvest have now rejoined their regiments, and additional men are being summoned.

Fears of further Russian advances in the Balkans—and what Germany may do if they occur—seemed in the increase in South-Eastern Europe. An open break between Russia and Germany is widely expected in some quarters if Russia attempts to push beyond her present frontiers.

The Hungarian radio to-night quoted an article in the semi-official *Pester Lloyd*, assessing at £24,000,000 the indemnity which Hungary claims from Rumania for damage alleged to have been done during the Rumanian occupation of 1919-1920.

"Rumanian troops," the article stated, "took advantage of the Bolshevik revolution in Hungary to march into our territory and plunder property of all sorts."

LATE NEWS

ANOTHER NIGHT RAID ON BRITAIN

Searchlights went into action last night when two 'planes, believed to be German, flew over the South-East Coast of Britain.

One, which was caught in the searchlights, disappeared in a red glow, and is believed to have fallen into the sea. The other machine flew on. There was no gunfire, and no bombs were dropped.

Other 'planes flew over Wales, and South-West and North-East England.

BRITAIN'S 11,000 'PLANES FROM U.S.

2,800 ALREADY DELIVERED

NEW YORK, Friday.

The British Purchasing Commission has ordered 11,000 aeroplanes from United States manufacturers to date, 2,800 of which have been delivered, according to a spokesman of the Commission.

Orders of all kinds placed with American producers amount to nearly 2,000,000,000 dollars (about £500,000,000), he added.

England will take the machine tools ordered by the original Anglo-French Purchasing Board as soon as re-routing can be arranged. These have been piling up at the docks ever since the French capitulation.—(P.A. War Special.)

BRITISH SEIZE RUMANIAN SHIPS

BUCHAREST, Friday.

The Rumanian Ministry of Marine reported to-night that the British had seized three Rumanian ships at Port Said.

Diplomats regarded the seizure as Britain's answer to Rumania's confiscation of British oil properties.—(Associated Press.)

DE GAULLE FILES APPEAL IN FRANCE

VICHY, Friday.

General de Gaulle, head of the French National Committee in London, filed an appeal against the four-year prison sentence recently imposed on him in France, it was announced to-night. Sentence was passed in default on charges of refusing to obey military orders in failing to return to France.—(Associated Press.)

HUNGARIAN DELEGATION FOR MOSCOW

BUDAPEST, Saturday.

A Hungarian industrial delegation composed of 15 technical experts leaves here today for Moscow, travelling *via* Berlin.—(Reuter.)

GERMAN RAIDER'S SINKINGS

SHIP WITH DISAPPEARING GUNS

NEW YORK, Friday.

Members of the crew of a Norwegian ship which picked up 25 survivors of the British freighter Davisian stated to-day that the freighter was sunk by a fast 10,000-ton German raider, named the Narvik. The raider, which was disguised as a Swedish merchantman, carried "disappearing" six-inch guns.

According to the Davisian survivors, the freighter was attacked on July 10 about 240 miles east of the Virgin Islands, which is in the American neutrality zone.

Captain Brynilsen, master of the Norwegian ship named the Lief, said the Davisian's crew told him that the German raider on approaching the Davisian suddenly threw a piece of canvas bearing the Swastika over the side and opened up with two six-inch guns.

The Davisian replied with her single four-incher until a shot from the raider wounded the gunner and four seamen, and forced the British ship to surrender.

The Germans took the Davisian's crew on board and sank the ship. Three days later the British freighter King John (5,228 tons) was also sunk. The Germans kept as prisoners the captain and chief officer of each ship and also five wounded men.

CREWS PUT ADRIFT

The remainder of the two crews, numbering 66 men, were then put adrift in three boats, with only water and "hard tack" for provisions. Two lifeboats, containing 41 men, reached a West Indian island, but 25 members of the Davisian's crew in the third boat drifted, sailed or rowed 640 miles before the Lief found them, "more dead than alive," barely a mile from Samana, Santo Domingo.

Captain Brynilsen said that the crew told him the raider could make 19 knots and carried 300 men.

The Lief landed the rescued men at Samana.

A THIRD VESSEL SUNK

BASSETERRE, ST. KITTS, Friday.

When the British freighter St. John, sank she had on board 21 of the crew of a Yugo-Slav vessel, the Santa Marguerita, in addition to her own crew of 35, according to further details now released by the authorities here.

A Maltese seaman and a Yugo-Slav engineer, who had already been wounded when the Santa Marguerita was sunk, were killed when the St. John encountered the German raider.

An electrician and a steward, members of the British crew, were wounded.

The Davisian, according to information here, carried a crew of 50, of whom 10 were taken prisoner by the raider. Four others were wounded.

The St. John sank 300 miles north of Sombrero, Venezuela, and the Davisian 450 moles north-east of Barbados.

There is no Yugo-Slav vessel named Santa Marguerita in Lloyds Register.—(P.A. War Special.)

NEW WATERFORD STEAMER

A civic welcome was accorded the new steamer Fiddown when she arrived at Waterford on her maiden trip from across the Channel. The vessel, which is the first Waterford-owned steamer to enter the harbour in many years, was built by the Goole Shipbuilding Company to the order of Messrs. Samuel Morris, Ltd., coal and timber merchants. She has a speed of ten knots and is driven by a 350 h.p. Crossby engine. She is in command of Captain Frank Tyrrell Arklow, and R. S. Hay, Eastbourne, is chief engineer. She was launched in May and finally completed this month.

NO SCRAP OR OIL EXPORTS

Surprise Action by United States

CONSTERNATION IN JAPAN

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S action in adding petroleum and petroleum products, scrap iron, and other scrap metal to the list of commodities for which export licences may be required, has aroused consternation in Japan.

Tokyo declares that the inclusion of such articles is "beyond comprehension," while in China the news is hailed as "a serious blow to Japanese operations."

Mr. Roosevelt yesterday denied that any embargo was involved. The question was only one of national defence, he said.

Official Japanese circles, quoted by the Domei Agency, recalled that it had been repeatedly stated by the American authorities that the purpose of the law was to conserve war materials in the United States.

"Consequently, it is beyond comprehension," they stated, "that oil and scrap iron, which are abundant in the United States, should be included in the export licensing list, although the United States Government may have fully considered the international repercussions to be caused by such an action."

A Japanese Foreign Office spokesman said yesterday that it was "a very important matter," and would cause "a great reaction" in Japan.

A SERIOUS BLOW

Chinese circles hail the news as not only a serious blow to Japan's operations in China, but also as a sign that the United States is taking a more positive stand in the Far East. Without resorting to an embargo, which might arouse opposition in the United States during the elections, it is considered that the new decision means a virtual embargo on supplies of oil and scrap iron to Japan.

Hint of a firmer attitude by the United States in the Far East is giving encouragement to the Chinese, dismayed by the closing of the Indo-China Railway and the Burma road.

Meanwhile the tension between Japanese and Americans in the Shanghai region continues.

INCIDENTS

The Japanese version of the incidents which occurred last week-end between Americans and Japanese at Tsingtao, was given yesterday by a spokesman of the Japanese Embassy, who said that nine similar incidents between American sailors and Japanese had occurred at Tsingtao since May. All had been settled locally.

The spokesman alleged that a drunken American sailor molested a Japanese girl on a bathing beach. Later, he claimed, the American naval authorities expressed regret for this occurrence. The same night, however, two American sailors were involved in a quarrel in a café and a brawl ensued. When Japanese police tried to arrest the contestants other bluejackets and United States naval patrols joined in the struggle.

APOLOGY

On Wednesday, said the spokesman, the American Consular authorities accepted a Japanese demand for an apology, compensation for damage done, steps to prevent a recurrence and punishment for the sailors involved.

An account of these incidents from American sources given yesterday contained no mention of any insult to a Japanese girl.

The Russian-born wife of an American, Mr. C. J. Meyer, of Salt Lake City, was stated to have been kicked by a Japanese policeman in a scuffle.

The American sailors had their shore leave cancelled for some time after the fights took place.—(Reuter.)

NEW SPIRIT IN U.S. FOREIGN POLICY

NEW YORK, Friday.

United States wireless commentators agree that the extension of the licensing system to oil and scrap iron exports constitutes a virtual embargo on such exports to Japan and Spain.

Mr. Raymond Gram Swing pointed out that President Roosevelt had avoided any criticism or outright hostility to Japan, thereby relieving Japan of any necessity for "face saving." But, he declared, the effect was the same, since the embargo weakens Japan's war strength.

Mr. Swing also said that this latest step was not of direct assistance to China, but makes up for the loss of British support of China, and shows an entirely new spirit in United States foreign policy.

GERMAN SUPPLIES

Mr. Swing said Rumania would not solve Herr Hitler's oil problem, or make up for loss of Russian supplies. Germany, he said, has not enough oil to carry the war on for very long at full blast. Her oil reserves were believed to be steadily sinking.

Another commentator, Mr. Steel, said that it was generally accepted that Spain was now playing the rôle that Italy played for the first six months of the war. He suggested that Britain, encouraged by the United States action, would take steps to include Spain in the blockade.

A third commentator, Mr. George Coombs, described the oil embargo as "eloquent evidence of the extent to which the United States is co-operating with Great Britain in the blockade of the Axis Powers"—(Reuter.)

AMBASSADOR SEES MR. WELLES

WASHINGTON, Friday.

The Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Kensuke-Horinouchi, called on Mr. Sumner Welles, United States Under-Secretary of State, to-day and discussed President Roosevelt's imposition of licensing restrictions on oil and scrap metal.

At his Press Conference to-day the President denied that any embargo was involved. The question was only one of national defence, he said.—(Reuter.)

JAPANESE AGREEMENT MADE

TOKYO, Friday.

Virtual agreement has been reached in the negotiations between Japanese representatives and officials of the Wang Ching-wei Government over the draft convention regulating relations between Japan and occupied China. This was announced to-day in a joint Sino-Japanese *communiqué* issued in Nanking, seat of the Wang Ching-wei Government after the seventh meeting of the negotiators.—(Reuter.)

REFUGEES FROM BRITAIN

U.S. DESIRE TO HELP

QUESTION OF SAFE PASSAGE

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT declared, at his Press conference in Washington yesterday, that the United States has a deep desire to do everything possible to help to remove children from England, and he might eventually ask for reasonable assurances that refugee children could obtain a safe passage to America.

NECESSARY STEPS

The first step, the President said, involved providing perhaps 10,000 children with passports. The next step would be to ascertain what the British Government would be able to do about sending the children to the United States, or perhaps Canada, in British vessels.

A little later on, he added, a stage might be reached when the United States would ask for reasonable assurances that if American vessels went over to evacuate them there would be no torpedoings.

THE GREAT DIFFICULTY

Asked to comment on legislation pending before Congress to permit the use of American ships, President Roosevelt said that there were three sides to the problem, namely—

1—The attitude of the British Government.

2—America's own deep desire to do everything she can, and

3—The safety of the children.

The last-named, the President said, is the crux of the matter.

President Roosevelt explained that without reasonable assurance of a safe passage it would be a big responsibility for ships flying the American flag to undertake the transport of the children.

CASE OF THE MEKNES

The President drew attention to reports of the sinking of a French vessel taking Frenchmen home from England. The British, he said, claimed that the ship had been guaranteed safe passage, while the Germans said that they guaranteed no such thing.

When informed of reports circulating in America that because of the British blockade activities the United States might extend to the Spanish coast the combat zone from which American vessels are barred, the President remarked that this was about the last channel of communication left, and would be kept open as long as possible.

A bill permitting the use of American vessels to carry European children from the war zones was unanimously approved by the House Foreign Affairs Committee yesterday.

The bill provides that any vessel so used must have its safe conduct guaranteed by all belligerents.—(Reuter.)

"FAVOURABLE NEWS FOR BRITAIN"

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TORONTO, Friday.

A hint that important news favourable to Britain was to be expected within a week, was made by Mr. Bernt Balchen, head of the Norwegian air mission, in an interview here to-day.

"I cannot reveal at present what is happening, or may happen."

"The news—and it will be big—will break either at Washington or back here at Toronto," he said.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

AIR STRENGTH

In an editorial article to-day *The Times* remarks:—

The latest air *communiqués* show that for the present the enemy is intensifying his air attacks chiefly upon shipping in the Channel. On Thursday the enemy lost twenty-eight machines—the largest number so far brought down in any one day during attack on and around this country—and our own losses were only five. The figures are remarkable in view of the ease with which, at least in theory, the enemy can deliver attacks and slip away before any great concentration of machines can be brought against him. The best proof of the success not only of the R.A.F., but of the gunners and crews of our anti-aircraft detachments, of our coastal ships and of their escorts is that we are still using the Channel for traffic of this kind, though it can only be compared to a passage past the enemy's front door.

Far more important, adds *The Times*, than any local victories in large scale skirmishes is the certainty that we shall outstrip the enemy's production both of machines and of air crews. There is in the first place our production of aircraft at home, the rate of which during this month has been more than doubled by comparison with July, 1939. It may be said that this output is liable to hostile interference, but we can also count upon a mounting output elsewhere beyond the enemy's reach.

The enemy's sources of supply are very great, but not similarly immune. Thus we may be sure that the mastery of the air is within our reach and the achievement of mastery in the air will be a turning point. The air offensive against Germany and German-occupied territory is proof already of fighting spirit and striking power. Nothing that has happened or will happen can deprive the men of our own Air Force from passing through arduous experiences. But everything that is now happening or is likely to happen promises them that they will not be denied their goal of victory, pressing on week by week, in the words of their own motto, *Per ardua ad astra.*

INTERNMENT SHIP

ANOTHER ARGENTA FOR THE NORTH

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

The Northern Ireland Government has decided to purchase a ship for the internment of prisoners, as was done in 1922.

The question of accommodating the 200 members of an illegal organisation who have been rounded up has been under consideration for some time, and an internment ship is regarded as the best solution of the problem at present.

The internees are accommodated in Londonderry and Belfast Jails. It is understood that officials of the Northern Ministry of Home Affairs already have inspected a suitable ship and made arrangements for the purchase.

When the necessary alterations are made to the vessel the prisoners will be transferred to it.

It is expected that the vessel, like its predecessor, the Argenta, will be anchored either in Belfast Lough or Larne Lough.

R.A.F.'s WHOLESALE RAIDS ON GERMANY

Fourteen Aerodromes Bombed

MESSERSCHMITT WORKS HIT

WHOLESALE attacks on the German Air Force at its source—the factories, aerodromes and fuel dépôts—were pressed home by the R.A.F. on Thursday night.

One of the targets—a large works at Gotha, where Messerschmitt fighters and training 'planes are assembled—was attacked for forty minutes.

Altogether fourteen aerodromes in Germany and Holland were hit. A Messerschmitt 110 was shot down in a fight with two of the bombers—all three being in the glare of the searchlights.

Thursday was the worst day so far for raiding German aircraft over Britain, 28 machines having been shot down, five more than the previous record for a single day, when 23 were destroyed on July 11th.

OIL PLANTS IN FLAMES

The story of the raids on Germany is told in the Air Ministry News Service issued in London last night:—

Last night strong forces of aircraft of the Bomber Command raided synthetic oil plants and oil storage installations in the Ruhr. A number of direct hits was scored on the synthetic oil plant at Kamen, and following aircraft found part of the target already on fire.

Adding their bombs to the blaze, the crews saw flames spread rapidly eastwards and watched clouds of black smoke billowing up from below.

At Bottop, where the Scimmerf-Muhlieme synthetic oil works were attacked, a raider scored a hit on the factory with one of its heaviest bombs.

Other aircraft started a series of fires, and explosions were later seen to be breaking out in many parts of the target area.

LONG ATTACK ON FACTORY

Oil tanks at Kastrop-Rauxel were successively raided by a number of aircraft, the first dropping nearly a dozen parachute flares to make certain of the target. Then the attack began, and for more than half-an-hour high explosive and incendiary bombs fell on and around the plant.

Fires completely gutted a large building adjacent to the tank and caused extensive damage. Other aircraft sent to attack oil supply centres bombed the big oil dépôt at Wanne-Eickel, and started fires among the storage tanks at Gelsenkirchen and at Dortmund.

Aircraft factories and storage dépôts also suffered heavily during the night. A large factory at Gotha, where Messerschmitt fighters and training aircraft are assembled and heavy tanks are made, was attacked for forty minutes. Fires were started at both the north and south ends of the works, and a heavy bomb struck the factory buildings.

100 FEET PILLAR OF FIRE

Other salvoes of bombs burst between the workshops and the adjoining aerodrome, and a blaze that broke out culminated in what one of the bomber crews described as "a pillar of fire nearly a hundred feet high." The flames, he said, were so bright that they lit up the aircraft at a height of seven thousand feet.

An aircraft factory at Kassell was bombed, and in an attack on the aircraft storage park at Eschwege incendiary bombs fell on the edge of the landing ground. One salvo of high explosive bombs bursting two hundred yards from a flare path was followed by fires and a train of blue and green explosions.

RAILWAYS DAMAGED

Railway sidings at Hamm, Soest and Wanne-Eickel were bombed again, and the crew which took part in the raid on Hamm reported that "an enormous flash" followed the bursting of one of the salvoes. Bombs were also dropped on a railway yard at Essen and on the main line near Gladbach, and heavy explosions were seen among warehouses on the riverside wharves at Duisburg. Large fires were seen and several buildings were blazing furiously after an attack on a blast furnace near Ickern, and at Sterkrade a big chemical works, which is one of the chief supply centres for cobalt and nickel catalysts, was heavily bombed by several aircraft, which scored a number of direct hits.

AERODROME TARGETS

FOURTEEN ATTACKED

Fourteen German aerodromes in Germany and Holland were hit. At Quakenbruck bombs fell on the runways and across hangars, causing explosions and starting fires. The tarmac and aerodrome buildings at Amsterdam airport were also struck, and one raider followed up its attack by machine-gunning the aerodrome.

Weather conditions again hampered the bomber forces. Besides the natural handicaps of thunderstorms, low cloud and severe icing conditions, German fighters were also encountered.

A Messerschmitt 110 was shot down near Dortmund in an engagement with two bombers, during which all three aircraft, flying at 11,000 feet, were lit up by searchlights. The Ger an fighter came in from the port quarter to attack one of the bombers, but the British rear gunner opened fire first.

As the Messerschmitt turned steeply away the rear gunner got in two more bursts at a range of 150 yards and the fighter, out of control, went into a vertical dive.

The other bomber, crossing the tracks of the one which was being attacked, also gave the German a burst of fire.

OBSERVER'S STORY

Another combat took place about 20 miles west of Kassel, this time with a Messerschmitt 109.

The story of the fight is dramatically told in the following extract from the report of the British observer:—

"00.15 hours—Single-engined 'plane, carrying light, came astern to 600 yards and fired bursts of yellow tracer; missed. Rear gunner returned fire in three short bursts; a , but below. Own pilot turned left. Enemy returned and came back astern, closing to 350 yards. Rear gunner gave three more bursts. Tracer appeared to hit. Enemy went down in a steep fast div. Not seen again."

MORE 'PLANES SHOT DOWN IN BRITAIN

BOMBER CRASHES NEAR FARMHOUSE

When a bomber crashed near a farmhouse in South-West England yesterday, only the pilot survived. The farmer, Mr. B. J. Parsons, a 47 years old ex-soldier, and member of the Home Guard, seized a gun and raced across the farm yard in his stockinged feet to capture the pilot, who had parachuted.

"He was a bit contrary," said Mr. Parsons afterwards, "and if he had moved his hands I should have let him have it. My daughter told me not do it."

After giving his "guest" tea and cake, Mr. Parsons, armed with his gun, took him to the village constable's house.

It was officially announced that during an attack on a south-east coast town yesterday morning German aircraft destroyed some houses and damaged others, but the casualties were small. One person was killed.

German 'planes were active over South-Eastern England yesterday afternoon. In the morning German machines were heard over a Welsh town, but no bombs were dropped.

TWO SHOT DOWN

A German fighter was shot down in the Channel by a patrol of R.A.F. fighters about mid-day yesterday. In the afternoon British fighters shot down a second German fighter off the south-east coast.

FOUR KILLED IN GIBRALTAR RAID

CADIZ, Friday.

Reports from Gibraltar state that four people were killed and 37 injured in a twelve-minute air raid early to-day, in which six 'planes took part.

The 'planes were stated to be Italian.

More than a score of bombs were reported to have been dropped.—(Associated Press.)

SIX RAIDS ON EGYPTIAN TOWN

CAIRO, Friday.

Italian aircraft have bombed Mersa Matruh, on the Egyptian coast, six times, according to a *communiqué* issued here to-night.

The only results were slight damage to a workshop and a fire in a small petrol dump. There were four casualties.

"On other fronts nothing new," the *communiqué* says.—(P.A. War Special.)

BRITISH RAIDS IN GERMANY

AMERICAN PAPER'S VIEW

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

NEW YORK, Friday.

R.A.F. activity since France gave up "is giving Hitler plenty of worry as to the condition of his own industrial heart," declares the New York *World-Telegram*.

"When the square mileage of the Ruhr region, in which Germany's industry is chiefly concentrated," it adds, "is compared with the territory in England, Wales and Scotland, over which the British war industry is spread, it will be seen that if air power were equal Germany's job of coverage would be much wider and, therefore, much to her disadvantage.

"That fact is pertinent when coupled with the increasing evidence of individual R.A.F. pilot and 'plane superiority over the Germans."

The article declares that recent R.A.F. activity "offers the hope that England is by no means in a complete back-to-the-wall position."

Everything, it says, "adds up to a distinct possibility that the *Blitzkrieg* might backfire if any such supply of 'planes were obtained by England from the United States, as Lord Beaverbrook predicted.

"Further signs of Germany's growing concern about her oil supply and indications that Italy is not getting along so well, and probably will not get along any better now that she has had to go vegetarian are other factors which make it look as if the battle for Britain will be no push-over."

A curfew, under which no one in Antwerp is allowed out of doors between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m., has been imposed by the German military authorities, according to the German-controlled Brussels radio. The regulation comes into force to-day.

THE NEW MINE-FIELD

ITS EXTENT AND POSITION

CURTAILING COASTAL U-BOATS' ACTIVITIES

By Our Military Correspondent.

LAST Monday the six o'clock wireless broadcast a British Admiralty announcement concerning a new mine-field laid off the entrances to the St. George's and Bristol Channels. The details were repeated in Tuesday's daily papers, and yet the operation has attracted far less attention than it merited. Actually, it was a most remarkable achievement—comparable in its own way to the great Anglo-American mine-field laid in 1918 across the North Sea from the Scottish Islands to Norway. The fact that the present mine-field has attracted so little notice is itself an illustration of the great advance in this branch of naval science during the between-wars period. And the fact that it could be undertaken almost as a side-line is a proof of the extent of stocks of mines now available. The number required for the present field was, of course, much smaller than for the North Sea—which involved far over the hundred thousand mark—but, for all that, is considerable.

NEW MINE-FIELD

Probably one reason why this new mine-field has aroused so little interest is the fact that so few people have facilities for plotting the naval co-ordinates given on a suitable map. For the benefit of the "man-in-the-street" the following method of indicating the details of the field will probably be found more helpful. Roughly speaking, the new mine-field is a gigantic, wide open V, lying over on its side. The apex of the V is, as near as no matter, 80 air miles due south of the three enormous pillars that stand on Great Newtown Head—just west of Tramore. The down stroke of the V begins just outside Irish territorial waters, south of Mine Head, near Dungarvan; the up stroke ends at Trevose Head, on the northern coast of Cornwall. The "lettering" is very heavy—50 miles thick on the average; the other nameable points marking the V are the limit of Irish territorial waters south-east of Carnsore Point and Hartford Point—the north-west angle of Devon.

The effect of this mine-field will be to close the Irish Sea and Bristol Channel—except for the narrow, northern entrance. In the last war the Irish Sea, more especially was a favourite hunting ground for submarines. On both sides of this sea there are, in little frequented parts, considerable expanse of comparatively shoal waters. There submarines could lie on the bottom "resting" until such time as a prospective victim merchantman might be expected to come along. No doubt the same method was being practised in the present conflict.

COASTAL U-BOATS

At the present time the Germans are said to be building—mainly, very small—coastal submarines to concentrate around the British harbour entrances. These can be produced much faster than bigger boats; they carry much smaller crews, and require less fuel. By equipping them with small torpedoes they can be given a greater number; and even the small torpedo is quite powerful enough to sink the ordinary merchant ship. But such little submarines have a very limited cruising and endurance radius. It was all right to slip across from Cherbourg or Brest and hang around the Bristol Channel; but to make the oceanic voyage round Ireland, run the gauntlet of the North Channel, cruise off Liverpool—and get back again—all this is quite another matter.

Besides materially impeding the work of the small submarines, the new mine-field will set free quite an important strength of patrol vessels. Comparatively few will be required to watch the mine-field; by reason of its location the Germans can make no serious effort to sweep it up. It is, of course, the case that the field is powerless to stop aircraft: these can still fly across and drop their magnetic mines—as long as the weather is propitious. For all that, it is much to curtail the submarine side of blockade activity. Incidentally, the contrast is worth noting between the small, sweepable mine-laying by aircraft and the great, solidly-blocked expanse of salt water—150 miles from flank to flank—represented by the new mine-field. Ten is said to be the greatest number of mines possible to be carried in an aeroplane—or, say, a hundred by a squadron.

One other point is worth noting concerning the shoreward end of the British mine-field—it leaves every harbour still open. True, it lengthens most long-distance voyages for Bristol Channel ports, and it prevents coasting trade around Cornwall. But all Bristol Channel ports can still be reached one way or another, while all the main railway termini outside the mined area—Newquay, Pensance, Falmouth, Fowey, Plymouth, etc.—are still available. Traffic for these, as it were, oceanic ports is still mainly a naval escort's affair. Hitherto convoys have not been air-raided systematically as far west as this. Altogether, economy of force is the keynote of this new mine-field.

DISARMING OF SOLDIERS

BELFAST MAN FOUND GUILTY

"I do not recognise the court, but I reserve the right to question the witnesses," said Edward Maguire, a slater, of Whiterock Gardens, Belfast, during the hearing of a case arising out of the disarming of two soldiers in the Whiterock area on June 19 by a party of armed men.

Maguire was charged, that, with other persons unknown, he assaulted Fusilier Coates and stole his rifle and five rounds of ammunition.

Accused man remained mute when arraigned.

Mr. Wm. Beattie, K.C., and Mr. J. G. Dougherty (instructed by Mr. J. V. S. Mills, LL.D.), appeared for the Crown.

Fusilier Henry F. Coates said that a party of soldiers were filling sandbags about 10.30 a.m. on June 19. After they commenced work they were joined by civilians, one of whom gave them a hand.

After lunch witness and Fusilier Jones were detailed to make inquiries about a missing shovel. In Whiterock Gardens about ten or twelve civilians came walking up, and when level with witness and Jones surrounded them, knocked them down and seized their rifles.

The men, who were armed, fired two shots as they ran away and broke into two groups.

Mr. Beattie—Do you know the man who took your rifle?—I would know him anywhere.

Do you see him here to-day?—No.

Fusilier Coates added that at an identification parade he picked out the accused man as one of the men who attacked them.

Fusilier David Jones gave corroborative evidence.

Maguire was found guilty, and put back.

SINKING OF THE MEKNES

STATEMENT FROM LONDON

REJOINDER BY GERMANY

IT was stated authoritatively in London yesterday that a report that the torpedoed transport, Meknes, had been guaranteed safe passage by the German Government was not correct, says the Press Association.

The facts, as stated by the First Lord of the Admiralty in the House of Commons on Thursday, are that the French Government at Vichy were notified in quite general terms of the British intention of repatriating all those members of the French fighting forces who wished to return to France, and that Britain proposed to use French vessels for this purpose. To this communication the French Government raised no objection.

The time of the departure of the Meknes and the route she was to take were not notified, but the Admiralty made every effort to see that the ship could be readily and immediately recognised.

In view of the steps taken, and as the torpedoing was carried out by a German surface craft and not by a U-boat, there can be no shadow of doubt, it is stated, that the German commander must have been perfectly aware of the ship's identity.

THE GERMAN ATTITUDE

Press Association War Special.

BERLIN, Friday.

The official German News Agency, quoting "authoritative quarters," says:—"The British Admiralty announced some time ago that it would seize all French merchant ships and sail them under British flags, and that French ships with crews willing to serve with Britain were to fly the French flag.

"In view of that, the German Government informed the French Government that after July 23 they would treat French merchant ships flying the French flag as enemy vessels.

"Accordingly, it was the duty of the British Government to inform the French Government of their intention to repatriate the French soldiers, and to wait for a reply as to whether the dangerous transport through the war zone could be assured of a safe convoy.

"It must be emphatically stated that the German Government was not informed of any such British inquiry.

"There is, therefore, not the slightest doubt that the British Government is solely and fully responsible for this incident, and once again is to blame for the death of the French soldiers; for it was fully aware of the danger involved to-day in sailing British territorial waters.

"The case of the Meknes is a continuation of the malicious tradition which started with the sinking of the Athenia and reached its peak at Oran."

THE MISSING

Latest figures received in official circles in London show that nine officers and 374 men are missing. Some may have made for the French coast in ships' boats.

The Meknes sailed with 99 naval officers and 1,080 naval ratings, a crew of 9 officers and 90 ratings and 2 women and one child. Total landed is 99 officers, 796 men, 2 women and one child.

HOPING FOR A COMPROMISE

NO AGREEMENT ON COLONIES PLAN

HAVANA TALKS CONTINUED

HAVANA (CUBA), Friday.

WHILE agreement on the question of European colonies in the Western hemisphere still hangs fire at the Pan-American Conference here, it is generally believed that a compromise between the opposing points of view of the United States and Argentina will be found to-morrow.

There are actually four proposals on the subject before the Foreign Ministers here on this, the fifth day of the meeting.

The United States, Cuba and Brazil are asking the Americas to be prepared for immediate action in the event of a threatened transfer of any of the colonies in question.

Argentina, on the other hand, is still demanding that the peoples of the colonies in question shall be consulted before any action be taken in order to avoid a possible break with European Powers. It is this stand which has been delaying final agreement. Any accord reached must afterwards be ratified by the Parliaments of the different American nations.

DISPOSAL OF CROPS

Measures have already been approved aimed at stamping out fifth column activities through co-operation in detecting and repressing such activities. Agreement has also been reached on economic co-operation based essentially on the disposal of crop surpluses by co-operative action and the granting of United States loans to Latin America in order to bolster her economy with the general aim of preserving inter-American free trade.

Some forty-five projects of various kinds are still before the conference.—(Press Association Foreign Special.)

FOR NATIONAL PURPOSES

CAMPBELL COLLEGE TAKEN OVER

Campbell College, Belfast, one of the largest of Northern Ireland public schools, has been taken over by the authorities, and will be used for national purposes.

The college is situated at Belmont, Belfast, near the Northern Parliament building.

Several other Northern schools also are to be taken over immediately.

BRITISH CONVOY ATTACKED

Five Small Ships Sunk by Bombers

NINE TORPEDO-BOATS CHASED

NINE German motor torpedo boats, which were about to attack ships in convoy in the English Channel on Thursday, were engaged by two British destroyers after they had tried to escape behind a smoke screen.

This was disclosed in a British Admiralty communiqué last night, which stated that five small ships were sunk by waves of German 'planes, and seven, including the destroyers, received damage.

STORY OF THE ATTACK

The *communiqué* reads:—

"The German *communiqué* claiming to have sunk eleven ships totalling 43,000 tons and severely damaging a further 12,000 tons of shipping in an air attack on a convoy yesterday in the English Channel is grossly exaggerated.

"The facts are. A convoy consisting of twenty-one small coastal vessels, escorted by H.M. trawlers, was heavily attacked by successive waves, each of about thirty German aircraft.

"Five small vessels were sunk; these had a total tonnage of 5,104 tons.

"A further five small vessels totalling 5,133 tons received damage, and one of these, a 554-ton coaster, had to be beached.

LOST IN SMOKE SCREEN

"Shortly after these air attacks nine enemy motor torpedo-boats were sighted proceeding to attack the convoy.

"Two of our destroyers and two of our motor torpedo-boats at once proceeded to intercept and engage these enemy forces The enemy motor torpedo-boats retired behind a smoke screen immediately on sighting our forces. They were chased and engaged for about fifteen minutes. The damage inflicted on the enemy was not observed owing to the smoke.

"While returning from this chase our destroyers were twice heavily attacked by German dive bombers. Both ships sustained some damage, and in one, H.M.S. Boreas (Lieutenant-Commander M. W. Tompkinson, R.N.), there were casualties. The next-of-kin are being informed.

"It was during the air fighting consequent upon the enemy attacks on the convoy and our destroyers that a large proportion of the enemy aircraft already announced by the Air Ministry as destroyed on Thursday were shot down."

THE BOREAS

H.M.S. Boreas (1,360 tons), one of the Beagle class destroyers, has a normal complement of 138 and a designed speed of 35 knots. She is armed with four 4.7-inch and six smaller guns and eight 21-inch torpedo tubes.

Lieutenant-Commander M. W. Tompkinson, her commander, was mentioned in despatches last month for good services in attempting to save H.M.S. Sphinx after she had been struck by a bomb and subsequently sunk in February. He is the son of Vice-Admiral W. Tompkinson, who at one time was in temporary command of the Atlantic Fleet.

H.M.S. Boreas played a leading part in saving life when the Spanish Nationalist cruiser Baleares was torpedoed and sunk during the Spanish civil war. One of her crew was killed by a bomb splinter. The Nationalist authorities expressed "sincere gratitude" to the British Government for the destroyer's services.

GERMAN REPORT

"CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS"

BERLIN, Friday.

To-day's German *communiqué* says:—

"Air arm attacked British aerodromes in Midlands and radio station at Dover.

"Our fighters and dive-bombers achieved a considerable success in the English Channel despite bad weather conditions. Of a convoy of 23 vessels, strongly protected by warships and air forces, 11 merchantmen, totalling 43,000 tons, were sunk.

"Three more merchantmen, totalling 12,000 tons, were set on fire or so badly damaged that they can be regarded as total losses. In addition, we succeeded in setting fire to a destroyer and in seriously damaging another.

"To the south of the Isle of Wight a merchantman of 8,000 tons was sunk, so that in one day attacks by the air arm may be considered to have caused the enemy a total loss of 63,000 tons of shipping.

"These attacks on British shipping frequently led to severe air fighting.

"In the Channel a numerically superior British fighter squadron attacked our 'planes, and lost eight 'planes of Spitfire type, as well as one Hurricane, while only two German 'planes were shot down.

"The British Air Force continued raids over North, West, and Central Germany during the night of July 25. No military damage was done. Damage caused to non-military objectives was unimportant.

"During the right four enemy 'planes were brought down by anti-aircraft fire, and one was shot down by a night fighter.

"Total enemy loses yesterday amounted to 29 'planes, of which 19 were shot down in air combat, and the rest by anti-aircraft fire. Nine German 'planes are missing."

TRAWLER SUNK BY BOMBER

ONE 'PLANE DESTROYED: ANOTHER DAMAGED

H.M. trawler Fleming has been sunk by German dive bombers, the British Admiralty announced last night.

H.M. trawler Berberis, which was accompanying the Fleming, hit back so accurately at the raiders that one was blown to bits and another was badly damaged and unlikely to have been able to reach its base.

The *communiqué* states:—

"The Secretary of the Admiralty regrets to announce that H.M. trawler Fleming (Skipper E. G. Gurney, R.N.R.) has been lost in action between two of our trawlers and four German dive-bombers.

"H.M. trawler Fleming and H.M. trawler Berberis (Chief Skipper L. Grace, R.N.R.) were in company when the four German aircraft appeared from the clouds. Two of the aircraft attacked the Fleming and two attacked the Berberis. The Fleming sustained a hit amidships and sank.

BLOWN TO PIECES

"The Berberis opened a hot and accurate fire with her anti-aircraft gun. One of her first shells scored a direct hit on one of the German dive bombers. It is thought that this shell must have hit the German bomb racks, since the aircraft flew in pieces in mid-air.

"The only wreckage which was subsequently picked up was the aircraft's rubber boat and a few fragments of wood. There was no sign of the crew of the aircraft.

"Another shell from the Berberis severely damaged another of the German aircraft, and it is considered unlikely that it was able to regain its base.

"H.M. trawler Corena (temporary skipper A. E. Fisher, R.N.R.), which was in the vicinity, picked up the survivors of the Fleming.

"The next-of-kin of casualties in H.M. trawler Fleming have been informed. There were no casualties in either of the other two trawlers."

MORE GERMAN CLAIMS

REPORTED ATTACK NEAR BRIGHTON

BERLIN, Friday.

The official German News Agency claimed to-night that in a fresh attack near Brighton German speed boats sank three armed merchantmen of 10,000, 7,000 and 5,000 tons respectively.

It further claimed that an armed merchant ship of 2,000 tons was set on fire by gun fire.

The German speed-boats returned undamaged, added the Agency.—(Press Association War Special.)

ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Green, Dublin. All classes will be resumed on Monday, 12th August. —(Advt.)

BEHIND THE ARMY—V.

TRAINING OFFICERS FOR EIRE'S GROWING ARMY

A HIGH-PRESSURE SCHOOL

By a Special Correspondent.

A CROSS-SECTION of Ireland's "Main Street" is to be found in the lecture halls of the Irish Military College to-day. Probably at no other time in the history of our country has such a mixed group of individuals been banded together to serve a common cause. As I watched the several platoons of the class of potential officers at work I saw men of every creed, every class and every shade of political opinion.

POTENTIAL OFFICERS

The Commandant of the College—a Major who has served in the college for the past ten years—stood beside me and recited the names of some of the men we saw at work. There was a distinguished professor (he served on the Banking Commission), an ex-Senator, former I.R.A. officers whose names made news; side-by-side with them were others who had fought against them in former years—five ex-colonels of the National Army; ex-officers of the British Army; a former organiser of a political party, one of the largest estate owners in the country, a well-known racehorse owner, two brothers from a well-known distilling family, men who fought in Spain, and a group of about half-a-dozen solicitors and barristers. Their ages range from twenty-five to forty-eight, and the director described them as "the keenest bunch in my ten years at the college."

Instructors declared that the "young men have nothing on the older men" in their pursuit of the knowledge which will fit them to lead the country's rapidly expanding Army. In the fields platoons were learning weapon training—the handling of weapons was not new to most of them, but new methods have to be learned and there is old knowledge to be brushed up.

Everything must be done at high speed—the course only lasts for five weeks, and the essence of the normal two years' cadet course must be crammed into that time. But the will to learn is in the hearts of these men; one could see this in the attention which they paid to their N.C.O. instructors in weapon-training in the field, or in the classrooms where other sections were learning how to assemble a light automatic.

THE COURSE

Classes at the college start at 9 a.m. and continue until 6 p.m. every day, except Sunday. And after school there is private "swotting" to be done. For the average man this would be enough, not so for these men; they sent a deputation to the Commandant asking for physical "jerks." His agreed, and the majority of them now turn out at 7 o'clock each morning for voluntary exercises. After breakfast the day's work really starts. Here is a sample of what has to be learned—it is taken from the time-table of the day I visited the college:—Weapon-training, drill, organisation and administration, military law, hygiene and sanitation (an Army Medical Services officer gives lectures in this subject), and chemical warfare.

As the course progresses other subjects, such as infantry tactics and field fortifications, will be added to the syllabus.

One of the most interesting features of the visit to the College was observing the manner in which these men have forgotten old enmities and settled down together. In the mess—their mess president is the professor, and they say he makes a good job of it—it was obvious how the existence of a common cause had enabled them to mix together and display a splendid spirit, which provides an excellent example for everyone else in the country.

But it is not only the potential officers who have adapted themselves to the new conditions—the staff of the College have had to do a spot of re-organising. It is a big task to condense a cadet course of two years into the space of less than two months. Once the present "bunch" passes out from the College a new group will take their place. For the moment the ordinary activities of the College have come to a halt. There is no cadet course, no "refresher" courses, no infantry or command and staff courses. All these activities have been "pigeon-holed" for the present while the staff devotes its full resources towards producing the junior officers, without which no army, no matter how strong or how well equipped, can function effectively.

SHOOTING OF CORK DETECTIVE

WIDOW'S £5,000 CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION

JUDGMENT RESERVED

From Our Correspondent.

CORK, Friday.

THE shooting of Detective Officer John Roche in Patrick street, Cork, on the night of January 3 last was recalled at Cork Circuit Court to-day when after hearing a claim for compensation Judge O'Connor reserved judgment until Wednesday next. The applicant was Mrs. Mary Roche, Woodland View, Dillon's Cross, Cork, and she claimed £5,000 compensation for criminal injury to her husband in connection with whose death Thomas MacCurtain, son of a former Lord Mayor of Cork, was charged and sentenced to death, the sentence later being commuted to one of penal servitude for life.

Mr. M. O'Driscoll (instructed by Mr. M. Powell) for the applicant, said that deceased man joined the Civic Guards in 1923 in the uniform force. He first served at Kinnegad, Co. Westmeath, and later at Dungourney, Co. Cork. He was transferred to the detective branch at Union Quay, Cork, in 1927, and married the applicant in September, 1929. Mr. O'Driscoll then described the various contacts which deceased officer had with MacCurtain.

He said that on January 3 this year a police officer in Cork had information that MacCurtain was connected with a movement for the dumping of arms and ammunition in the county, and decided that MacCurtain should be arrested. MacCurtain was under observation all that afternoon, and late that evening Guards went down to arrest him. A detective sergeant was in charge of the party, and he was accompanied by deceased man and a detective Guard.

UNARMED

The detective sergeant and Guard were armed with the usual revolvers, but Guard Roche was unarmed. They got information from the detective Guard that MacCurtain was in Patrick street, and they went there in a car. The car was parked on the quay nearby, with a detective Guard in charge of it. The sergeant and detective Roche then went towards where MacCurtain was. When they met him the sergeant put his hand on his shoulder and told MacCurtain that they wanted him at Union Quay, and Guard Roche put his arm on MacCurtain's shoulder. Forthwith, without warning, MacCurtain drew a revolver, which it was subsequently proved he carried in a Sam Browne belt, and shot Guard Roche. He then turned on the sergeant and only that the sergeant was physically so powerful a man he would probably have met the same fate.

When MacCurtain was overpowered, and in a car on the way to Union Quay he made the significant remark: "Didn't you know I was armed and meant to use them, Guard?"

EFFICIENT OFFICER

Roche died the following morning. A police officer said that deceased man had been recommended for promotion, and was regarded as a very efficient officer.

Mr. J. C. FitzGerald, K.C., who with Mr. George Daly (instructed by Messrs. B. C. Galvin and Sons) appeared for the Corporation, said that the overwhelming majority of the citizens of Cork deplored the crime by which Guard Roche met his death. He submitted that there was no personal animosity against the deceased man, and that he did not meet his death by reason of some special exertion on his part in discharge of what were only his ordinary police duties.

LOCAL SECURITY FORCE

PARADE AT CLONDALKIN

About seven hundred members of the Clondalkin area Local Security Force paraded at Clondalkin last night, when a meeting to encourage recruiting for the Defence Forces was held.

The members taking part included contingents from Clondalkin, Rathcoole, Saggart and Tallaght.

Mr. Ernest Blythe said that there was nothing so precious to a country as national freedom, and that was not won and held without great sacrifice.

Mr. H. M. Dookrell, T.D., said that the person who joined the Defence Forces before trouble started was worth ten of those who joined afterwards.

The other speakers were:—Mr. P. J. Fogarty, T.D.; Senator Quirke, Mr. P. Belton, T.D., and Mr. S. Brady, T.D.

Mr. F. Jacob, Co.C., presided. The parade was in charge of ex-Commandant Turner.

MEETING IN RATHFARNHAM

That something more than mere sentimental allegiance to the flag was necessary at the present time, was stressed by Senator Michael Hayes at a public meeting appealing for recruits for the L.S.F., the A.R.P., and the First-Aid Divisions, held at Rathfarnham yesterday. What was required, said Senator Hayes, was loyalty and obedience to the Government.

The Rev. L. Kelly, C.C., who presided, said that the greatest danger of all in an emergency was that panic should set in.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, chairman of the Pigs and Bacon Board; Mr. Patrick Bullman, leader of Group "A" of the Local Security Force, and Mr. James Weldon, chairman of the Rathfarnham Parish Council, also spoke.

Also on the platform were Senator Miss M. Pearse, the Rev. C. W. Sowby, warden, St. Columba's College; the Rev. J. A. Byrne, S.J., Rathfarnham; Dr. T. J. O'Connell, general secretary, Irish National Teachers' Organisation; Mr. P. Donnelly, vice-president of the Parish Council; Mr. P. A. Sheehan, hon. secretary of the Parish Council, and Mr. T. Doolin, assistant hon. secretary of the Parish Council.

SKERRY'S COLLEGE, DUBLIN. Classes will be resumed on Tuesday, 13th August, 1940. —(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

LITERARY CRITICISM

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Mr. Kavanagh made one error in his literary criticism. His critics have made a dozen. Mr. Ahern has not laughed so much since he attended a bottle party in September, but I expect that Mr. Kavanagh has laughed, too.

My disapprobation was tempered with gratitude for many arresting reviews by Mr. Kavanagh. It is not difficult to believe that "F.L.J.", Mr. N. Harvey and Mr. Ahern confine themselves to the Hundred Best Books. As these have not been read, I make a brilliant suggestion. Let Mr. Kavanagh compile a list of the hundred worst books. These will be devoured by most of his critics. It is evident that not one of these critics has read the works of William Carleton, James Stephens or Samuel Lover. When the widow says to Rory: "There's not a finer thing in the world than a dhrop o' whiskey to drive the sickness from your heart"—how these literary snobs must tremble!

Unlike Mr. Jones, I have not corresponded with the German Youth, but if his foreign correspondence was equalled by his present purposeful blunders he might hesitate before re-opening communications when peace dawns. Mr. Jones may be humane, but he is unable to see through intensive scouting. "F.L.J." explains—Civilisation at its lowest is represented by the "human robot." So we are to make the robot a boy scout. I thought the object was to change that charming beast, the boy into a cute little devil.

I cannot say that my critics are correct in stating that German boys were compelled to work. In the public reading racks of many little towns in Germany I saw coloured posters of harvest scenes. These were pictures of boys aiding in harvesting. At the foot of each poster there was a portrayal of a mother and children. Volunteers were urged to come forward to help the farmer. At Oberdollonder I witnessed a group of boys draw lots by a musical test for those who would assist on the farms and those who could go hill-climbing. Incidentally, these boys themselves cooked a meal that would astonish our Boy Scouts.

The boy in Germany has no such outlet as the gambling mania for his activities, and so has more thought of citizenship.

"F.L.J." states that it would not be a good deed to help a farmer.. Is labour so plentiful? In America entire colleges visit farms to carry on the work of the control of noxious weeds.

Mr. Harvey's reference to Joyce and Keatings, Mr. Ahern's bottle murder and sudden death, together with "F.L.J.'s" "frowsty tripe," consumed while Mr. Jones shuffles his pack of cards, indicate that they are fit scoutmasters. An improved outlook might develop by reading Baby's Debut—

"So bidding you adieu
I curtsey like a pretty miss,
And if you blow to me a kiss
I'll blow a kiss to you."

—Yours, etc.,
OSCAR LOVE.
Blackrock, July 26th, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I agree with Mr. Ahern that this is a delightful controversy. Could you not ask your esteemed correspondent, Mr. O'Connor, to give his views? I am sure he would clarify the issue: whether Mr. Kavanagh's writing would be more "refained" if he joined the Boy Scouts, or should potato-pickers leave off thinking about "servant girls" (really something should be done about these "lower orders").

All the same, etc., I hope my mind is not like a "Goebbels' midden" (I simply can't avoid inverted commas). I, too, thought Mr. Kavanagh's articles charming, and cannot remember any cause of offence. Print some more, please, and then we can all renew our judgment and write and tell you all about it with lucidity and logic.—Yours, etc.,

"N.C."

Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin,
July 26th, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I must apologise for my late entry into this correspondence, but it was impossible to ignore a letter which appeared recently above the signature of a Mr. N. S. Harvey. That letter contained a violent attack on Mr. Kavanagh's work. Mr. Harvey, for some reason best known to himself, selects "decency" and "clean minds" as his own fortresses from which to launch his attack. It is scarcely a fortunate choice for one who introduces into the sphere of literary criticism some most inelegant phrases. To describe Mr. Kavanagh's work as "smelling of the Goebbels' midden," "cesspool-in-the backyard style," and as a personally conducted stroll through the sewers—oh, it is too much.

Patrick Kavanagh is far too important a writer to be seriously alarmed by this type of wordy stone-throwing. (Would the agricultural Mr. Harvey prefer me to say muck-flinging?) Mr. Kavanagh has a virile mind: he has no time for shoddy thinking couched in a stew of literature—cf., "Gone with the Wind." More power to him! His work adds greatly to the value of your literary columns.

—Yours, etc.,
H. V. BRISCOE.
Altamont, Tullow, Co. Carlow,
July 26th, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Surely the *Irish Times* is the accredited repository of Irish Protestant folklore, a journal dedicated to a fine civilisation and intelligence, drawing its inspiration from the example of history.

Swift, Berkeley, Jeremy Taylor, Goldsmith, Grattan, Tone, Emmet, Parnell, Yeats and Edward Carson have all added some little thing to that story: each has his niche in the night-mind of the nation and in the day-mind of your readers, sir.

Why, then, did you encourage a gratuitous and apparently senile Cincinnatus from the hieratic abacus of your second column on the twentieth of this month ineptly to insult the one poet of this century?

Mr. Yeats was, too, the embodiment of all the nobility and greatness of that last generation of which we graziers are the magnificent heirs.

You do wrong, Mr. Editor, sir, in your patronage; there is a line beyond which even entertainment taxes.

Have you not reflected, in the first place, that had it not been for the revolution which that great poet dreamed into being, and the levelling which followed after it, your reviewer of that sad Saturday had never come within reading distance of that second column! (I say nothing of the fifth column, with its charming photograph of Dr. Maxwell.)

There is a second reason why the image of that column should remain in our shocked minds only as the "last and lofty perch" of its composer.

The question of tillage is one of national importance: let not the *Irish Times* do anything to hinder its progress. Note your reviewer's wistful remark: "This sort of artist is like a ploughman who has horses and plough, but no land." Here is a situation all your readers over the age of seven will be anxious to remedy. Open a subscription list now: I beg to subscribe myself.

—Yours, etc.,
NIALL MONTGOMERY.
9 Herbert street, Dublin,
July 26th, 1940.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I contribute a few experiences and ideas to this very interesting controversy?

I have met some Boy Scouts, and, my! was I disappointed. My tricycle chain had become stuck near the Scalp, and I thought myself in clover when round the bend came some Scouts in little, short trousers. I called to them but only one answered, a rough, French-looking fellow wearing a beret, who shouted, "How dye, sister." Thank goodness, I was always independent and was able to settle the trouble myself.

Early last year I was in Germany, though I suppose one shouldn't say that; so many people think one 5th Columnist on such little provocation. Anyway, there I met many of the Hitler Jugend. It is quite untrue that Hitler doesn't let them speak to strangers. I found them clean, companionable, and I can assure you I had only to raise my hand to have my tricycle mended every day. There is one big difference actually between them and the Scouts, and, strangely enough, no one in this discussion has mentioned it. The Jugend never, or hardly ever, have hair on their legs. Yes, really. It reminded me so much of what a dear, facetious school friend of mine used to say to something rather risqué about Empire Roman boys—that they *plucked*.

Of course, I'm only a girl; but I do think Mr. Kavanagh, whose homely articles I enjoy ever so, should not annoy all our uncles and aunts by saying such startling things about institutions. Once in London I met such a nice boy in the Tube and brought him back to tea, but he ruined everything by telling Aunt Charlotte (I was living with her at Bayswater) that he thought all R.A.'s were fools and their work *tosh*. "I didn't catch your name, young man," she said, "but please do not visit my house again." And, though I tried ever so hard, she remained implacable.

Mr. Harvey reminds me of my Uncle Robert—so stern. I used to watch him sitting for hours with *The Times*. He never read it, preferring to snooze, the sweet, old dear, but he said it made a good impression on the servants.

Lastly, might I make an appeal to those of your readers who are older and more worldly-wise than me. I know such a nice boy in the Navy, but he tells me such queer stories. I'm sure Mr. Harvey wouldn't approve of them (I've never let Uncle Robert hear any of them, not even the one about the fishmonger's daughter, though Aunt Charlotte calls it droll). Ought I to stop writing to him, or should I wangle a visit to London for his next leave! He has promised; but, there, how I do run on.—Yours, etc.,

JUDY CLIFFORD.

Holme, Burnaby, Greystones,
County Wicklow, July 26th, 1940.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Arms Handed Over.—A large number of possessors of firearms in Ballyhaunis district have handed them over to the Civic Guard for use by the Local Defence Force.

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County Dublin Fire.—The Dun Laoghaire Fire Brigade, under Captain Martin, saved Kilgobbin Castle, County Dublin, and two dwellinghouses from destruction by fire. The outbreak occurred in the Castle, an historic old building, and spread to a number of trees, which endangered the houses. One line of hose was laid and the fire extinguished.

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North Dublin Horticultural Society.—At a meeting of the North Dublin Horticultural Society the Chairman announced that it has been arranged to hold the thirteenth annual show of flowers, fruit, vegetables, cookery, and home industries in the grounds of St. Patrick's College, Drumcondra, on Saturday, 17th August.

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Returned for Trial.—At Kilcormac District Court, before Justice O'Donoghue, Charles Holmes (23), temporary railway employé, Rosfaraghan, Ferbane, was returned for trial in custody to the Special Criminal Court on charges of illegal possession of a Thompson machine gun and 45 rounds of ammunition and a colt revolver and 12 rounds of ammunition.

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Sympathy.—At a special meeting of the Irish Junior Aviation Club, a resolution of sympathy with the relatives of Miss Vera Doggett, Mr. John Maher, Mr. Thomas Mohan, Mr. Michael Branagan, Mr. John Warren, members of the Club, and Miss Nora O'Donoghue, who were killed when the car in which they were travelling came into collision with a bus near Balbriggan on Sunday, July 14th.

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Munster Fair.—The Munster fair at Limerick yesterday was a decided improvement on the last one. There was a large supply of stock on offer, most of which was cleared at an early hour. The demand for fat cattle was particularly keen, and prices generally increased by about £2 a head as compared with a month ago. Prime beef was up by about 3s. per cwt., and trade all round was most satisfactory.

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Longford Agricultural Show.—The Committee of Longford Agricultural Show have decided to hold the show again this year, despite the unsettled condition of international affairs, and the final entries are expected to be well up to the show's average in numbers and quality. All the usual classes are included again this year, and the enclosure events comprise jumping, trotting competitions, and a donkey race The dog show, one of the most popular in the country, comprises sixteen classes, and a large number of entries already has been received.

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Croagh Patrick Pilgrimage.—Yesterday over 500 pilgrims ascended the Reek. Three Masses were celebrated in the Oratory on the summit, the first being celebrated by the Rev. M. J. Daly, V.F., Adm., Westport. To-morrow's gathering promises to be one of the largest ever. Particular interest is being taken locally in the arrival of the special pilgrimage from Belfast, the first organised direct to Croagh Patrick for many years. Already almost 30 priests have asked for permission to celebrate Mass on the summit to-morrow, and the number climbing the Reek is likely to prove a record.

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The Land Commission.—In most sections of the Land Commission only business of immediate urgency can be attended to while emergency conditions prevail. This information was contained in a statement issued by the Government Information Bureau last night. This restriction on the activities of the Commission is due to the fact that its staff has been considerably reduced by the transfer of officers on loan to new services which were necessary in the present emergency. Inquirers are requested to confine their communications and calls to business of an urgent character.

OBITUARY

CAPTAIN T. O. CORRIN

The death of Captain T. O. Corrin, Mus.B. (Oxon.), has taken place on active service. His home was at "Buyukdere," Hawthornden road, Knock, Belfast.

Captain Corrin was a well-known figure in musical circles throughout the British Isles. He was an inspector of the Ministry of Education, and in 1924 began an association with the B.B.C. which lasted until a short time ago. In the early days he was accompanist, and subsequent to his taking over the position as inspector under the Ministry he kept up his connection with broadcasting by giving talks on music, chiefly during the Children's Hour. He was known as "Uncle Tom," and was extremely popular.

In 1937 he began a series of talks to adult listeners on the concerts to be broadcast from the Wellington Hall and the Ulster Hall.

THE REV. M. CONNERY, P.P.

The death of the Rev. Matthew Connery, Parish Priest of Coleraine for the past thirty-eight years, took place at the parochial residence, Coleraine, last night. Father Connery was a native of County Derry, and was educated in Rome, but before being ordained he was recalled to the home diocese, and became a prefect in St. Columb's College, Derry. He was ordained in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry, in 1890, and after a short time in the English Mission he served successively as curate in Dungiven and Limavady. In 1902 he became Parish Priest of Coleraine. He was a gifted musician and singer, and did much for the promotion of musical culture in the diocese.

DEPORTED

Arthur Frank Bowerman (37) and Cecil John Bowerman (28), the two male members of a family who were detained at Malahide, Co. Dublin, on Thursday last, were deported yesterday evening. They were seen on board the cross-Channel boat by detectives of the Aliens' Branch, Dublin Castle.

FREE SEASIDE HOLIDAYS FOR LUCKY READERS.

In this issue appears another of the Pennypots popular holiday crosswords, in which is offered a first prize of a week's holiday at Tramore for two, with all expenses paid, including first class travel and accommodation at a first class hotel—and, in addition, £5 cash for incidentals. The holiday may be arranged for any dates to suit the lucky winner's convenience; or if preferred, a cash award of £35 is available. In addition, every runner-up will receive a consolation award. The crossword is absent, the only skill required being in choosing the most apt word where alternatives seem possible. The entry fee is only twopence; or four attempts may be made for sixpence. Readers should note that the latest time for entries in first post on August 3.

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SETTLEMENTS ANNOUNCED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MARTIN MAGUIRE.)

The following settlements were announced:

Thomas Maher, schoolboy, Carnew street, Dublin, who was knocked down by a motor bicycle, the property of the Minister for Finance, at the junction of Manor street and Aughrim street on October 24, 1939, to receive £400 and a sum for medical expenses and a further sum for costs.

Mr. Patrick Bourke (instructed by Mr. Sean Ryan, of Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Thomas Maher, and Brian Mac Fhionnlaoich was solicitor for the Minister.

Christina Haslam, aged 8 years, Lower Kevin street, Dublin, who was struck by a motor car of John Kennedy, general carrier, Lower Kevin street, Dublin, at Lower Kevin street, on January 13, 1940, to be paid £250 and a sum for medical expenses and a further sum for costs.

Mr. Samuel Crivon (instructed by Mr. Leopold J. Jameson) appeared for the girl, and Mr. T. J. Kirwan was solicitor for Mr. Kennedy.

Margaret O'Connor, St. Joseph's Mansions, Killarney street, Dublin, to receive £130 and a sum for medical expenses and a further sum for costs, and Patricia O'Connor, of the same address, to receive £20 and a sum for costs for injuries received when they came into collision with a horse-drawn lorry of Messrs. P. Donnelly and Sons, Ltd., coal merchants, Westmoreland street, Dublin, on March 14, 1939.

Mr. John J. Devlin (instructed by Messrs. Murtagh Fay and Co.) appeared for Margaret and Patricia O'Connor, and Mr. Sean Ryan (of Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) for Messrs. Donnelly and Sons, Ltd.

Kathleen Coady, clerk, Lower Kimmage road, Dublin, who was injured when a motor car of Michael Tutty, grocer and publican, Hollywood, County Wicklow, in which she was a passenger, was involved in a collision with a motor van at Ballymore Eustace, County Kildare, on February 11, 1939, to receive £50 and a sum for medical expenses and a further sum for costs.

Messrs. Brady and Briscoe were solicitors for Kathleen Coady, and Mr. Sean Ryan (of Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Mr. Tutty.

AUCTION SALES

MESSRS. THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS AND CO.

On Thursday, 8th August, this firm will hold their next property auction at their salerooms, South Great George's street, at 1.15 p.m., when the following lots will come up for sale:—46 South Richmond street, consisting of shop and two flats overhead, showing a gross estimated income of £247 p.a., which, after deducting head rent and rates, shows a net profit rent of £87 13/- p.a.; 17 Warrington place, close to Mount Street Bridge, ideal as a private residence or boarding house; profit rent of £36 16/6 p.a., a gilt-edge security, arising out of a valuable leasehold premises on South Circular road, Dolphin's Barn; No. 15 Lower Hollybank avenue, off Sandford road, Ranelagh, modern house; Hollyville, Palmerstown, detached, double-fronted, non-basement house, standing on approximately over half an acre. On Wednesday, 7th August, they will dispose of the furniture at 328 Harold's Cross road. On Friday, 9th August, they will dispose of the house and high-class furniture on the premises at 85 Grosvenor square. On the 14th and 15th August they will offer for sale by public auction, at the Engineers' Hall, the leasehold interest, good-will and fittings of the premises, 34 Exchequer street; also to dispose of the entire stock of old Irish and English silver, Sheffield plate, Waterford glass, etc.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS."

A varied and interesting list of forthcoming auctions of antique and modern furniture, school equipment, Waterford glass; also private residences and landed properties, etc., is set out in our auction columns to-day by Messrs. Battersby and Co. On Tuesday next at "Springfield," Blackhorse avenue, Cabra, having sold the residence, they will hold an important sale of the antique and modern furniture, Chippendale chairs, and hall table, also a beautiful collection of Waterford glass; whilst on Friday next they will sell the household furniture and piano at 15 May street, Drumcondra. For their property sale on Thursday, 8th August, Messrs. Battersby will offer the semi-detached residence, 5 Casimir road, Harold's Cross, with possession. A sale that will arouse considerable interest is announced to take place at "St. Joseph's," Clondalkin, commencing on Monday, 12th August, and continuing for three days, when this valuable property, with some 96 acres of first-class land, will be sold in 3 or 4 lots, and also the valuable growing crops, agricultural machinery and implements, livestock, as well as the school furniture and equipment, an interesting library of books, garden and outdoor effects. On Tuesday, 20th August, Messrs. Battersby will hold a sale at "Cherryfield," Templeogue, for the executors of the late Mr. Harrington, when the valuable antique and modern furnishings, old silver, Schiedmayer piano, etc., will be sold. Full details are set out in our advertising columns.

MESSRS. JACKSON STOPS AND McCABE.

As will be seen from our advertising column, Messrs. Jackson Stops and McCabe, auctioneers, Kildare street, are offering for auction on 7th August, the fully-licensed premises known as O'Donnell's Hotel, Delgany, and formerly called the Sea View Hotel. In the days when the horse cab and the vis-a-vis held away this hotel was a very popular resort. The hotel is for sale as a going concern, and the furniture and stock can be taken over by the purchaser at valuation. This is a good opportunity for a progressive man to acquire a small hotel not too far from the city. The auction of 46 Iona Crescent, Glasnevin, which was to have taken place on the same date, has been cancelled, as the property has been sold privately.

MESSRS. ALLEN AND TOWNSEND.

The firm, having sold the house, will sell the entire furniture and effects at 51 Wellington road, Ballsbridge. Many interesting lots are included, full details of which are in our advertising columns. At their property auction last Wednesday, they successfully disposed of 15 Upper Hollybank avenue, Ranelagh, and 12 Annesley Park, Rathmines. Recent sales by this firm also include 80 Moyne road, 257 Howth road, 137 Leinster road, 50 Dufferin avenue, 7 and 8 Oaklands Drive, 12 Serpentine road, 77 Willfield road, etc.

MESSRS. W. J. HOLDEN AND SON.

As already advertised, Messrs. Holden will offer for auction, on Wednesday next, the semi-detached modern residence, 99 Vernon avenue, Clontarf, with clear vacant possession to the purchaser. The auction, which takes place at the salerooms, 2 Saint Andrew street, will commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

MESSRS. CORRIGAN AND CO.

Wednesday next, at 2.30, is the time of this firm's coming auction, to be held in the property salerooms, at 4 Grafton street. Included is the residence, 20 Royal terrace, W., Dun Laoghaire, recommended to both investors, and those seeking a private residence. Another lot is 95 Mountpleasant square, Ranelagh, in a pleasantly secluded part, overlooking the square.

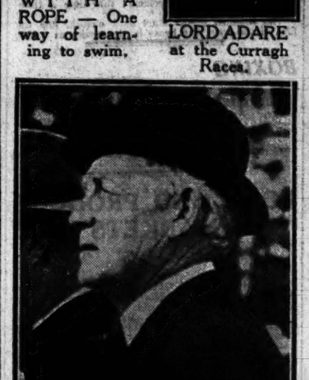
MR. E. J. CONNOLLY.

Mr. E. J. Connolly will offer for sale by public auction, on the premises, the house and furniture at "Merville," 199 Cabra road, on Tuesday next, at 12 noon, specially-built, spacious, semi-detached house, 7 apartments, gardens, garage, immediately after sale of house, the entire household furniture and effects will be auctioned.

A VISITOR doing the hand stand dive at Dun Laoghaire.

WITH A ROPE. — One way of learning to swim.

LORD ADARE at the Curragh Races.

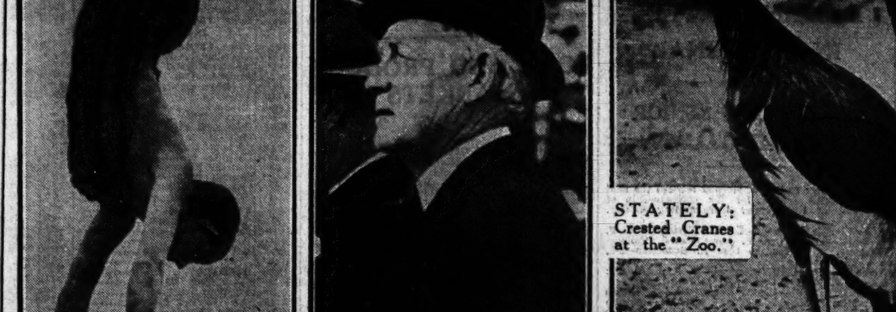


LORD GLENTORAN at the Curragh on Thursday.

WOOL FEDERATION

A GROUP taken before the annual general meeting of the Irish Wool Federation. Included in the group are: Mr. H. W. Young (president), Mr. W. Cahill (vice-president), Mr. J. B. Ganly, Mr. P. Hughes, Mr. C. E. Macauley, Mr. J. R. Smith, Mr. L. H. Wing, Mr. P. Ganly, Mr. N. F. Judd, Mr. B. Murphy, Mr. R. McCarthy, Mr. A. Craigie and Mr. Vickerman.

STATELY: Crested Cranes at the "Zoo."



THE COMMITTEE which is organising the crazy dance to be held at the Metropole on August 7th, in aid of the T.C.D. "Students—Kids of the Unemployed Scheme." From left: Mr. S. O'Leary, Mr. P. S. Lamar, Miss Nancy Roche, Miss K. Lawler and Mr. A. B. Walsh.

Miss Stokes sailing in her tiny "pram" in Howth Harbour.

MISS P. SPICER (right) with Miss M. Strahan, whom she defeated in the ladies' singles championship title at Mount Temple L.T.C. "At Home."

BEFORE the recent annual meeting of the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Association at Palace street, Dublin. Included are: Alderman A. Byrne, T.D. (chairman); Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.; Very Rev. M. Murphy, P.P.; Very Rev. T. O'Ryan, P.P.; Rev. R. J. Kerr, Sir J. Glynn, Mr. J. McCann, T.D.; Rev. D. J. McGrath, C.C.; Mr. D. J. Bergin, Mr. M. Mortell, Councillor O'Connor and Mr. G. C. Weekes (secretary).

THE FINALISTS in the ladies' doubles at the Clarement L.T.C. "At Home," Mrs. Bell and Miss B. Kirkpatrick (left), with Miss K. Miller and Miss E. Farquhar, whom they defeated.

A CLOSE FINISH — P. V. Guiney (left) winning the 100 Yards Open Handicap at the recent Guinness Athletic Union Sports at Crumlin.

AUCTIONS.

FIRE.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—MR. JUSTICE BLACK.
Record No. 1940—767.
BETWEEN:
THE ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND, Plaintiffs;
And
THOMAS DERIVAN, Defendant.

FULLY LICENSED PREMISES,
143 LOWER BAGGOT STREET, DUBLIN,
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 24 SUFFOLK STREET,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 2.30 p.m.
(IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

The premises are held for a term of 35 years from 1931, subject to the yearly rent of £140, Poor Law Valuation, £70. This property is favourably situated in the business part of this important street, and consists of a spacious building standing three storeys over basement. Accommodation comprises:—Large bar and snug, fitted with mahogany top counter, shelving, mirrors, and six-pull beer machine. The basement consists of cellars and gent's lavatories. There is a separate private door entrance to the overhead living apartments, consisting of two sittingrooms, with folding doors between, three bedrooms, w.c., and kitchen. Electric lighting throughout.
THE PURCHASER WILL NOT BE REQUIRED TO PAY AUCTIONEERS' FEES.
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IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS,
8 MERCHANT'S QUAY (OPPOSITE FOUR COURTS),
NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 6 o'clock sharp,
IMPORTANT SALE OF DIAMONDS, GOLD WATCHES, JEWELLERY, BICYCLES. SOME CHOICE BITS OF FURNITURE, WIRELESS SETS, VIOLINS, PIANO ACCORDIONS, FIELD GLASSES, AND OTHER INTERESTING ITEMS FROM
WELDON'S,
THE FIRST-CLASS MONEY OFFICE, 85 MARLBORO' STREET, 85,
Comprising:—1-HOOP CLUSTER AND SINGLE STONE DIAMOND RINGS, DIAMOND WRIST WATCHES, GOLD ALBERTS, BANGLES, BROOCHES, Etc. GOLD AND SILVER CIGARETTE CASES. OVER 300 Ozs. OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN SILVER, PLATED WARE, CANDELABRAS, 2 HANDLE TRAYS, ENTREE DISHES, TEA SETS, COFFEE POTS, CANTEENS OF CUTLERY, 1-DOZEN OF WIRELESS SETS (by Pilot, etc.); PIANO ACCORDIONS, 1-DOZEN OF VIOLINS (INCLUDING OLD FRENCH, BY CHEPPUY), ALSO ITALIANS (BY RUGGEIRIE); SAXOPHONE, WESTMINSTER CHIME CLOCKS, TYPEWRITERS, SETS OF GOLF CLUBS, 1-DOZEN OF PRIZM AND OTHER GLASSES (by Zeiss, etc.), TENNIS RACQUETS, WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, DINING TABLE, 4 CHAIRS AND SIDEBOARD (to match); 3-PIECE CHESTERFIELD SUITES, CARPETS, NEW ELECTRIC HOOVER, 1-DOZEN OF GENT'S AND LADIES' BICYCLES; 1-DOZEN OF SUIT CASES; TWO HUNTING SADDLES, CHINA DINNER AND TEA SERVICES, TOGETHER WITH A LARGE COLLECTION OF MISCELLANEOUS LOTS.
BICYCLES, FURNITURE AND MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD AT 6 O'CLOCK. JEWELLERY WILL FOLLOW.
N.B.—ON VIEW AT AUCTION ROOMS NEXT WEDNESDAY FROM 11 O'C., TO 5 P.M. SALE AT 6 O'CLOCK SHARP.
L. GARLAND, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY,

4 ELTON PARK, SANDYCOVE,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 12 o'c.,
AUCTION SALE OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, PIANO, CARPETS, PICTURES, VALUABLE CHINA, GLASS, SHEFFIELD PLATE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, comprising briefly:—Antique Mahy. 4-door Breakfront Bookcase, Antique Oval Drop-leaf Dining Table, Mahy. Pedestal Sideboard and Sets Mahy. Dining Chairs, Mahy 2-door Enclosed Bookcases, Revolving and Open Bookcase, China Cabinets, Antique Mahy. Console, Circ. Caretto-top and other Occl. Tables, William and Mary Chippendale Jacobean and other Antique Chairs, Brinsmead Upright Piano, Grandfather Clock, Brass Dial, Mahy. Hall Chairs, Easy and Occasional Chairs and Couches, Mantel and Pier Mirrors, Pole Screens and 4-fold Draught Screens, Plant Stands and Pedestals, Clocks, Fenders, Brasses, Sheffield and Electro Plate and Cutlery, English, Oriental and Continental China, including Tea Services, etc., and Ornamental Pieces; Oil Paintings, Watercolours and Coloured Engravings; Axminster and Turkey Room and Stair Carpets and Rugs, Antique Mahy. and Oak Chests of Drawers, Mirror-door Wardrobe, Dressing Tables and usual Bedroom Furniture, Oak and Metal Single Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Household Linen, Blankets and Bedding, Kitchen Furniture, Domestic Utensils and Crockery, Lawn Mower and Garden Tools, Step Ladder, Meat Safe, Trap, etc., etc. On View Tuesday next, 10 to 5. Sale Wednesday next at 12 noon. Admission to View and Sale by ticket, 1/-.
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Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitor,
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TIMBER FOR SALE.
I WILL receive Proposals, in writing, up to the 3rd August, for the Purchase of the following Lots of Timber at Bawnboy, Co Cavan, the property of the Exrs. of R. H. Johnstone, Deceased—
270 SILVER FIR,
200 SCOTS PINE,
50 LARCH.
At Ture, Bellurbet, Co. Cavan, for same Owners:—
150 SCOTS PINE,
150 NORWAY SPRUCE,
30 LARCH.
All the above are fully matured, and a very fine lot of Timber.
Bawnboy is within two miles of Bawnboy road Railway Station, on G.S. Railway.
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Auctioneer and Valuer,
BAWNBOY, CO. CAVAN.

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MESSRS. MAHER AND SONS are instructed by Mrs. C. H. Denroche to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION at KEYLONG HOUSE, CAHIR, on WEDNESDAY, 31st JULY, 1940, comprising Drawingroom and Diningroom Suite, Furniture of four family Bedrooms, quantity China, Glass, Silver and Plated Ware; Contents of Kitchen and Pantries. Also Outdoor Effects, including Garden Requisites, etc.
Sale at 12 o'clock (S.T.). Admission 1/-. Luncheons at Sale.
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I have been favoured with instructions from Mr. James Moran to Sell by Private Treaty his Interest in above freehold slated Residence, standing on almost 1 acre of land, comprising hall, diningroom, 2 spacious bedrooms, scullery, kitchen with range in working order.
Out-offices include garage, workshop, dairy shed and poultry house. The house is two-storey, soundly built, with front and back entrance, enclosed yard with water, neat approach through stocked gardens. Situated on main Dublin-Carlow 'bus route, within 30 miles Dublin, convenient to Church and Schools. Immediate possession. P.L.V., £3 10s. 0d. only.
C. KANE,
Auctioneer Etc.
MOONE, CO. KILDARE.

PARISH COUNCILS

Tuam Muintir na Tire Committee, with five members of Tuam Town Board, will form the Tuam parish council in the present emergency.

The Rev. Father Hayes, founder of Muintir na Tire, attended a meeting, which was representative of all creeds and classes of Dungarvan and outlying parishes, at the Dungarvan Town Hall for the purpose of forming a parish council.

After explaining the ideals and principles underlying Muintir na Tire, Father Hayes said that many people were asking what was the attitude of Muintir na Tire to the parochial committees and councils that were put forward by order of the Minister.

"Wherever Muintir na Tire exists," declared Father Hayes, "it will co-operate with the wishes of the Minister, and help, as it has helped, in the work necessitated by the crisis."

Exhorting the people not to lose their heads in the crisis, Father Hayes said that they were ready to take their place in any crisis.

M. AVENOL RESIGNS FROM LEAGUE

VICHY, Friday.

M. Avenol, Secretary-General of the League of Nations, has resigned, states the Havas News Agency. His resignation will take effect from August 31st.

The League Secretariat is to be taken over by a Committee of three leading officials.

M. Avenol succeeded Sir Eric Drummond (now the Earl of Perth) as Secretary-General of the League of Nations in 1933. He had been Assistant Secretary-General since 1924. Previous to that he was representative of the French Ministry of Finance in London.—(Reuter.)

WAR MEANS MORE PERILS FOR HIM TO FACE

The work of this vital Service must go on in War as well as in Peace.

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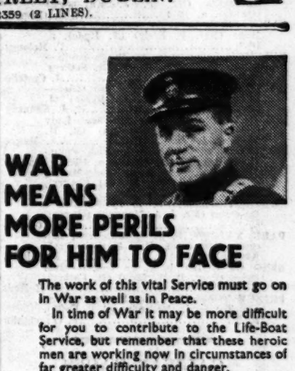
IRISH WILLS

Mrs. Cecilia Mary Caldbeck, of Ross's Hotel, Dun Laoghaire, who died on November 2nd last, wife of Francis Carran Caldbeck, left estate in England and Eire valued at £1,899.

Mr. Robert Edward Follett Jones, of Portland House, Greystones, who died on February 1st last, left personal estate in England and Eire valued at £4,068.

Mr. Massy Ryves Marsh, of Marshbrook, Moate, Co. Offaly, who died on February 14th last, left estate in England and Eire valued at £10,854.



D. J. Gilliman, author of the three-act farce "Mixed Blood," which will be presented at the Gaiety Theatre next week.

RACING IN ENGLAND

DIFFICULTIES IN WAY OF RESUMPTION

Clerk of the Course Would Have Trouble in Framing a Card

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday Night.

It has been stated that the Turf authorities have in mind a scheme which they wish to put before the Government for approval and that they have been able to assure themselves of satisfactory support for whatever scheme they may be permitted to put into operation; but, supposing — and it is very distinctly only a supposition — that the Government decides to permit some racing in the autumn, will it be possible to arrange meetings? It is estimated that 75 per cent. of the horses have been taken out of training. Even agreeing this figure, it would leave us with about a thousand horses that are still in work.

An airy writer says that "those which were turned out recently could be again taken up at very short notice"—which is easier said than done. At the end of this month there will be probably a good deal less than a thousand horses that will be fit to race or fit to be put into strong work for a meeting three weeks or a month ahead, as it will take that time to make arrangements after a favourable Government decision.

Substitute St. Leger?

There is talk of a Substitute St. Leger somewhere, and the winners of the English and Irish Derbys, Pont l'Eveque and Turkhan, are both available. Unless it were a very good stake—and I can hardly see where the good stake is to come from—owners of other horses that were beaten in the classics—and many of these have been turned out or sold for the stud, as in the case of Lighthouse II.—will not be greatly disposed to enter when their chances seem slight.

Of the older horses that might constitute a substitute Cup race, there are not many left. Last year's Gold Cup winner, Flyon, has been taken out of training, but Quick Ray, Atout Maitre, and a few of the other staying sort of good horses, appear to be still in work.

Task for Clerk of Course

Under the Rules of Racing, it is not allowed to have more than two two-year-old events on any card before the nursery season. The large majority of the horses that are being kept in work are of the first season. Two-year-old events would muster mammoth entries and the other events only a limited number. Executives would be very unhappy without selling races, from which they might get a surplus, but the platers have gone away with the west winds.

It would tax a clerk of the course highly at the moment to devise a programme of six events that would satisfy owners and trainers—and the public. The public, even in war-time, will not pay good money to see hotch-potch racing, and it would cause an executive that promoted a meeting some misgivings whether they could make it pay its way.

The experience of Newbury is there to see. The transfer of the Substitute Derby and Oaks, which they had arranged last month, to Newmarket at almost the last moment involved them in a heavy financial loss, and other meetings, which are not, perhaps, so well endowed, will be chary of incurring a considerable preliminary expenditure with the always present prospect of being left to hold the baby at the last moment. It is all very trying and difficult.

Export of Sires

It is likely that before long we shall be having diatribes about the great loss that will be sustained by the British bloodstock breeding industry by the departure for other countries of good young sires. One can remember that after the last war it was predicted by economists and authorities on financial matters that the centre of the money gravity had shifted to the United States, and that New York, and not London, would be the financial centre of the world.

It was barely two years before the financial power had shifted back to London, and there it has remained. Possibly much the same thing will happen in connection with bloodstock. They admittedly breed good horses in the United States now, horses that come to England and hold their own with the best, but the prestige of Irish and English bloodstock has been in no way impaired by that, and although the Venezuelans and the Bolivians and the Peruvians, when they want ready-made racehorses to run round their tracks, go to the United States; when they want a few brood mares or a sire they come to Newmarket. They have, indeed, been going a good deal to France in recent years, but it will be some time before they can go again. On the whole, it does not appear that we are likely to lose a great deal by the export of sires.

GALTEE MORE.

THE PROBABLES FOR GALWAY

THE GALWAY PLATE

(RUN WEDNESDAY NEXT. 2m. 5f. 60 yds.).

JACK CHAUCER, br. g. by Jackdaw of Rheims — Miss Chaucer (Mr. H. L. Egan) (C. Brabazon), a, 12-7 ....J. Lenehan
KNOCKADROLEEN, br. g. by Cyclonese—Mary Long (Miss B. Kearns) (J. Kearns), a, 12-3 ....Mr. W. Willis
STERLING DUKE, b. g. by Invereigh—Tavora (Mr. H. O'Leary) (J. Ruttle), a, 11-5 ....T. Hyde
THE GRIPPER, b. g. by The Carpenter—Morceau (Mr. W. M. Shawe Taylor) (H. Ussher), 6, 11-4 ....W. O'Grady
KILDONAN'S HOPE, b. m. by Knight of the Garter — Lemon Sponge (Mr. O. Fitzpatrick) (C. Brabazon), a, 11-0 ....M. C. Prendergast
KNIGHT OF VENOSAS, b. g. by Knight of Kilcash—Venosa's First (Capt. C. B. Harty) (Owner), a, 10-13....Mr. H. Harty
ARRAN PEAKS, br. g. by Kircubbin—Lodz (Mr. J. V. Rank) (H. Brown), a, 10-11 ....P. J. Murphy
SAFFRON HILL, b. g. by Invereigh—Loobagh (Miss Paget) (C. Rogers) (4lb. ex.), a, 10-11 ....D. L. Moore
DERRYGRATH, b. g. by Gone Cold—Garnavilla (Mr. P. J. Kavanagh) (Owner), a, 10-8 ....O. Connors
CABIN FIRE, b. g. by Cottage—Shining Hope (Mrs. P. Kiely) (T. Hyde), a, 10-7 ....T. Moloney
PULCHER, b. or br. g. by Pucka Sahib—Dowry (Col. Scott Moore) (R. Fetherstonhaugh), a, 10-6 ....J. Costello
CHIEF COUNT, ch. g. by Arran Chief—Cappy Countess (Mr. G. Byrne) (J. Ruttle), a, 10-5 ....E. J. Kennedy
SIR SEN, b. g. by Sun Yat Sen—Lady Guller (Lord Queenborough) (R. H. Walker), 5, 10-4 ....S. Magee
BISTRO, b. g. by Lustucru—Irish Pippin (Lady Brooke) (M. Arnott), a, 10-3 J. Brogan
DRUMBILLA, b. or br. g. by Little Marten—Dromara II. (Mr. J. Cox) (Owner), 6, 10-2 ....Mr. J. R. Cox
SWINDON GLORY, b. g. by Swindon—Rosemint (Mr. J. A. Mangan) (Owner), 6, 10-2 ....M. Gordon
PARK KNIGHT, b. g. by Knight of Kilcash—Parkstown (Miss F. Stokes) (J. Kirwan), a, 10-1 ....P. J. Cahalin
RING OF GOLD, b. g. by Tolgus—Gold Brick (Capt. D. W. Daly) (H. Ussher), 5, 9-7 ....T. McNeill
PRINCE TOZZI, b. g. by Rowland—Princess Tozzi (Mr. M. Kelly) (C. P. Kelly), a, 9-7 ....P. O'Loughlin

THE GALWAY HURDLE

(RUN THURSDAY NEXT. 2m.)

*ABBOT'S OWN, b. g. by Abbot's Trace—Eagle's Own (Mrs. E. Scott) (T. O'Sullivan), a, 12-7 ....—
ON STRAIGHT, br. m. by Hakem—Scythe (Mrs. T. G. Fletcher) (C. Brabazon), 5, 12-2 ....A. Brabazon
MASTER MATTY, b. or br. g. by Long Valley—Miss Matty (Mr. J. V. Rank) (H. Brown), 6, 11-11 ....T. Carey
GRANT, ch. g. by Apron—Willing Response (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) (Owner), 6, 11-8 ....—
FLY BY NIGHT, bl. g. by Prince Meteor—Loveliness (Mr. W. Barry) (Owner), a, 11-3 ....T. McNeill
HAPPY LARRY, br. g. by Bay d'Or—Red Pine (Mrs. T. Hyde) (T. Hyde), 6, 11-2 ....T. Moloney
KAOR, gr. g. by Motley—Ophir (Mr. M. Cuddy) (H. Ussher), a, 11-1....W. O'Grady
PRINCE ACHILLE, b. g. by Rose Prince—Styx (Miss Paget) (C. Rogers), a, 10-12 ....D. L. Moore
BRENNAN, br. g. by Sun Yat Sen—Miss Finlay (Mr. J. V. Rank) (R. Fetherstonhaugh), 5, 10-11 ....P. J. Murphy
SEN TOI, b. g. by Sun Yat Sen—Blue Nile (Mr. J. Browne) (Owner), 5, 10-11 ....Mr. R. W. Browne
ROCKLEIGH, ch. g. by Boris—Quakeress (Mr. J. Farrell) (Owner), 5, 10-10....—
WALTER'S PRIDE, ch. g. by Walter Gay—Grazzia (Mr. H. O'Leary) (J. Ruttle), 6, 10-8 ....T. Hyde
MANSURA, b. c. by Pucka Sahib—Nell Argo (Mr. J. A. Mangan) (Owner), 4, 10-8 ....—
RED SHAFT, b. c. by Scarlet Tiger—Fleche d'Or II. (Col. D. W. Daly) (R. More O'Ferrall), 4, 10-8 ....S. Magee or J. Brogan
INISHOWEN, b. h. by Arran Chief—Killart (Miss F. Masterson) (T. Masterson), 5, 10-7 ....—
DURBAR, br. c. by Diligence—Dunlavin Girl (Mrs. E. McGrath) (J. J. Parkinson), 4, 10-4 ....J. Barrett
GORGIA, b. h. by Phalera—George's Daughter (Mr. E. T. O'Meara) (Owner), a, 10-3 ....—
PROSPECT LAD, b. g. by Hakem—Mount Prospect Maid (Capt. C. B. Harty) (Owner), 5, 0-2....Mr. H. Harty
MISS RHYTHM, ch. f. by Sir Walter Raleigh—Tuneful (Mr. P. J. Frayne) (J. W. Osborne), 4, 10-1 ....—
LORD BORIS, ch. g. by Boris—Manning Ford (Mr. J. P. McAuley) (J. F. Banahan), a, 9-13 ....E. J. Kennedy
SENVILLE, br. g. by Sun Yat Sen—Thornville (Mr. T. O'Sullivan) (Owner), a, 9-13 ....J. Lenehan
ROCKVALE BRIDGE, b. g. by La Brige—Pillion Girl (Mr. M. J. Fanning) (Owner), a, 9-11 ....—
SOLVE, ch. m. by Soldennis—Perceptive (Mr. B. Kerr) (P. J. Lenehan), a, 9-10 ....J. Browne
SEA BACHELOR, ch. g. by Bachelor's Heir—Sea Mirage (Mr. B. Delany) (Owner), a, 9-9 ....—
DUNDRIN, bl. or br. m. by St. Dunstan—Drin Rose (Mr. T. W. Barry) (P. Molony), a, 9-9 ....—
PETER WOLFE, b. g. by Bard of Avon—Priscilla Ann (Mr. A. P. Harris) (Owner), 4, 9-7 ....Mr. L. McMorrow
CAMILLA, b. m. by Warden of the Marches—Hazel Beere (Mrs. A. Gill) (M. Flynn), 5, 9-7 ....—
YOUNG BOB, b. g. by Soldennis—Stella Junior (Mr. G. O'Mara) (C. Prendergast), 5, 9-7....M. J. Prendergast
AMBERHILL, b. h. by Chesmint—Sandlemere (Mr. R. Shanahan) (Owner), 5, 9-7 ....—

* Doubtful starter.

GALWAY RACES

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, JULY 31st and AUGUST 1st.

Order of Running—Wednesday.

2. 0—Salthill Plate.	4. 0—Moyode Plate.
2.30—Mervue Plate.	4.35—Ballybrit Plate.
3.15—Galway Plate.	5.10—Stewards' Plate.

Thursday.

2. 0—Corrib Plate.	4.25—Renmore Plate.
2.30—"Blazers'" Plate.	5. 0—Oranmore Plate.
3.15—Galway Hurdle.	
3.50—His Majesty's Plate.	

TUAM RACES

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2nd.

2.30—Western Plate.	4. 0—Athenry Plate.
3. 0—Flying Plate.	4.30—County Plate.
3.30—Tuam Plate.	5. 0—Traders' Plate.

LEOPARDSTOWN RACES

SATURDAY, AUGUST 3rd.

3. 0—Rathfarnham Plate.	4.30—Londonderry Plate.
3.30—Delgany Plate.	5. 0—Castle Plate.
4. 0—Grange Plate.	5.30—Milltown Plate.

BALLINROBE OBJECTION OVERRULED

The objection lodged to Your Worship, winner of the Lough Mask Plate at Ballinrobe on July 11, on the ground of not being qualified according to the conditions of the race, has been over-ruled by the Stewards of the Turf Club.

LEOPARDSTOWN CLUB,

SECOND AUGUST MEETING, 1940.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24th.

FREE CARRIAGE BY RAIL AT SINGLE STALL RATE OR THE EQUIVALENT BY ROAD TRANSPORT OF ALL HORSES RUNNING AT THE MEETING. For full particulars see "Racing Calendar."

The following RACES CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, JULY 31st, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, C.2. Telegraphic Address: "Turfclub, Dublin."

THE FOXROCK STEEPLECHASE of 300 sovs. (presented by the Government of Ireland). About two miles and a half.

N.B.—All entrance and acceptance fees will be added to the value of this race.

THE BALLYOGAN PLATE of 100 sovs. For maiden two years old. About seven furlongs.

THE STEPASIDE PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap flat race for three years old and upwards. Five furlongs.

THE KILTERNAN PLATE of 100 sovs. A flat race for Irish-trained horses three years old and upwards that are *maidens at starting. Qualified Riders. About two miles.

*Including races under I.N.H.S. and N.H. Rules.

THE KERRYMOUNT HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. One mile and a half.

THE LEOPARDSTOWN PLATE of 200 sovs. (Closed.) —(Advt.)

MALLOW RACES

Monday, 5th August

(Bank Holiday)

£20 Free Forecast

The Best of racing over one of the Finest Racecourses in Ireland

Trains leave Dublin 8.30 a.m., Kildare 10.15 a.m., Cork 1 p.m., Limerick 11.15 a.m.

GREYHOUND RACING

FAVOURITES FAIL IN HANDICAPS

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK RESULTS

Three handicap events featured the programme last night at Harold's Cross Park, and in each case a scratch candidate proved successful. All Port won the Leinster Handicap Plate, coming up on the outside to beat the more fancied Sporting Flier by half a length. Tidy Princess led all the way to beat the odds on favourite, Fairy Piper, off the six yards mark, by a length and a half, and Baytown Park proved an easy winner of the Liffey Handicap. Details:—

ULSTER PLATE—Mr. W. Twyford's TWINK (5), 7 to 4, 1; TENDERLOIN (4), 4 to 1, 2; CLADDAGH BLONDE (1), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—Vesington Veteran (2), 6 to 1; Feather Patch (3), 5 to 1; Knight of Cribben (6), 3 to 1. 1l.; 3l. 31.03 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE—Mrs. M. Murphy's MISSING MONEY (4), 2 to 1, 1; CROSSGAR (1), 6 to 4, 2; BIT OF GAIETY (3), 7 to 2, 3. Also ran—Dashing Badger (6), 5 to 1. A distance; neck. 31.59 secs.

LEINSTER HANDICAP PLATE—Mr. H. C. Armstrong's ALL PORT (scr.), 7 to 2, 1; SPORTING FLIER (scr.), 5 to 4, 2; FLIGHTY PHYLLIS (6 yds.), 5 to 1, 3. Also ran—Artful Artist (9 yds.), Thesaurus (3 yds.), 4 to 1. ½l.; same. 30.52 secs.

MUNSTER PLATE—Mr. A. Byrne's TIDY PRINCESS (scr.), 4 to 1, 1; FAIRY PIPER (6 yds.), 6 to 4 on, 2; ANOTHER ZEDA (3 yds.), 3 to 1, 3. Also ran—Kilmainham Lass (scr.), 8 to 1; Kilmeague Dasher (12 yds.), 7 to 2; Butcher's Mutton (9 yds.), 10 to 1. 1½l.; 1l. 31.19 secs.

OPEN SWEEPSTAKE—Mr. P. Barry's BAYTOWN STAR (1), 6 to 1, 1; GOLDEN RASCAL (3), 6 to 1, 2; GENERAL KILDARE (4), 5 to 4 on, 3. Also ran—Tact (5), 8 to 2. A neck; a short head. 31.19 secs.

SPRINT FLAT (350 yards)—Mr. D. Byrne's OWEN HARRY (2), 5 to 2, 1; YOUNG SPINSTER (3), 10 to 1, 2; SLIEVNALICKA (1), 2 to 1, 3. Also ran—Cutlet's Edition (4), 2 to 1; Dark Way (6), 10 to 1; Quintin Belle (5), 8 to 1. 2l.; 1l. 20.50 secs.

LIFFEY HANDICAP PLATE—Mr. P. Barry's BAYTOWN PARK (scr.), 5 to 4, 1; FIRST ROSE OF SUMMER (3 yds.), 5 to 2, 2; HEDGE QUICKLY (6 yds.), 6 to 1, 3. Also ran—Tower at Home (scr.), 5 to 2. 1l.; a distance. 32.15 secs.

OTHER TRACK RESULTS

DUNDALK—Speed On (6/4), Buacail Maid (4/6), Middle Loop (2/1), Leo's Gift (6/4), Fighting Strength (3/1), Boosing Sandills (evens), Skibblemore (2/1).

CELTIC PARK—Linfield House (6/1), Garport (6/4), Hopman (11/8), Rum Willie (2/1), Blackrock Lucky (3/1), Gaelic Tura (9/4), Saltbox Row (5/1).

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—525 YARDS—Sunny Glow, Kildare Prince, T.P.'s Sandills, Middle Glide, Cheers For Caherduff, Trembling Laddie, High Hopes, Fiallach.

8.30—525 YARDS (HURDLES)—Early Deemster, No Sport, Baytown Mystery, Clooneen War Lord, Japanese Stamp, Parthian's Pride.

8.45—525 YARDS—Son of Dutch, Carmel, Silvery Sandills, William the Conqueror, Redgate, Warmest Lad, Surround Him, Crossgar.

9.0—525 YARDS (Hugh McAlinden Cup, Heat 5)—Clongowna Moon, Jolly Racket, Lively Larry, Rogue's March, The Grove, Really Ardent.

9.15—525 YARDS (Hugh McAlinden Cup, Heat 6)—Luck Laddie, Crystal Wave, Midnight Bill, William, Staunch Friend, Fitting Tribute.

9.30—525 YARDS (Hugh McAlinden Cup, Heat 7)—Hoye's Heights, Dodo's Sandills, Slieve Dermot, Lack Terse, Call Together, Caller On.

9.45—525 YARDS—Middle Loop, Wireless Dasher, Airgead Geal, Lady Lambo, She's Brilliant, Jolly Honey, Left In, Mae Meadow.

GOLF

FOXROCK BEAT D.U.G.S.

Foxrock beat Dublin University G.S. by 4 matches to 2 at Foxrock yesterday. Details (Dublin University players first in each match):—G. P. and J. Beckett lost to M. Peart and L. K. Brannigan; G. M. Porter and R. C. Cherry lost to G. M. Irwin and R. W. Sinnott; W. H. Thrift and P. Glynn beat E. J. Mulhern and A. W. Neill; L. E. Werner and A. Player lost to S. Seymour and J. O'Brien; K. F. Purcell and M. Horan beat J. L. Crabbe and F. Lovegrove; A. E. Pringle and W. R. Armstrong lost to F. Clarke and S. J. Waddell.

CLUB NOTICES

GREYSTONES.—To-day—Men's open fourball. Next Saturday—Stapleford competition.

KILLINEY.—To-day—Sweepstakes, fourball.

BRAY.—To-day—Monthly medal. To-morrow—Putting challenge cup.

NEWLANDS.—Ladies' Branch—July 30th—President's (Mr. J. J. Walsh) prizes, 18 holes, strokes. Prize for each class. Best gross prize. Military Cup—Mrs. Hawe (15); runner-up, Miss McKenna (26).

SUTTON (Ladies' Branch)—Surprise foursomes—Mrs Deegan and Mrs. O'Rourke (22½), 75½; Mrs. O'Donnell and Miss Doyle (25½), 75½. Tuesday next—Sweep, strokes; usual draws.

MALAHIDE.—To-day and to-morrow—36-hole competition, 18 holes each day; arrange partners.

HOWTH.—To-day—President's Cup. First four in each class to qualify by strokes and play-off by match play. To-morrow—Competition for members of Dublin Newspapers' G.S. and Howth Club. Morning—Men's singles. Afternoon—Men's fourball, sweepstakes. Also ladies' competition: singles; draws between 12.30 and 2.45 and between 4.30 and 6.0. Ladies are requested to play-off early draws as far as possible. Ladies' Cup—1st round on or before 5th August.—Miss H. F. Spence v. Miss E. McMahon; Miss G. O'Farrell v. Miss B. O'Rourke; Mrs. O'Colman v. Miss N. McGough; Miss O'Donohoe v. Mrs. Bridgeman. Best nett—Miss O'Rourke, 74.

E.S.B. SOCIETY.—Shannon Cup—The following qualified:—C. V. O'Donnell (Portmarnock) (8), 66; A. P. Healy (Royal Dublin) (12), 67; P. Redmond (Woodbrook) (7), 68; D. O'Halleron (Clontarf) (18), 68; J. J. O'Doherty (11), 68; W. J. Stapleton (Clontarf) (15), 69; D. McGinley (Newlands) (13), 70; C. Boyle (21), 70. Other scores:—P. J. Tierney, 71; J. O'Dwyer, 72; P. J. Jordan, 72; K. O'Kelly, 72; R. Morrison, 72; D. McAnaney, 73; P. Byrne, 74; T. P. O'Connor, 75; J. A. Murphy, 75. Played at Woodbrook.

RATHFARNHAM.—Thursday competition fourball v. bogey—Capt. Doyle (6), C. Harrington (14), 6 up; N. T. Bailey (14), L. J. Heaney (17), 6 up; A. V. Bingham (16), T. E. Jouglin (18), 5 up. To-day—Monthly medal, strokes.

GRANGE.—To-day—Guinness Memorial Cup: qualifying round, four to qualify; handicap limit, 20.

DELGANY.—To-day, monthly medal, strokes. Ladies' Branch.—July 23rd, Scotch foursomes—Mrs Evans (34) and Miss E. Kennedy (18) (Castle), rec. 26, 67; Mrs. McEntagart (11) and Mrs. Owen (Greystones) (13), rec. 12, 70; Mrs. James Davy (25) and Mrs. Downes (14) (Milltown), rec. 19½, 70½; Mrs. Richardson (30) and Mrs. O'Farrell (24) (Kingstown), rec. 27, 71. July 30—9 holes, match play. Entries close to-day. All matches start at 10.30.

KILCRONEY.—To-day—Semi-open mixed fourball competition.

DUNDALK (Ladies' Branch).—Wednesday, 31st July—Open competitions in aid of the Irish Red Cross prizes for best gross and best nett.

CO. LOUTH.—Mrs. Cooke's prizes, stroke competition:—Class 1: Miss M. Collier (17), 75; Miss Gannon (18), 75; Miss Reinders (13), 78. Class 2: Mrs. Brydon Hill (24), 76; Dr. Maxwell (36), 86.

CILL-DARA.—To-morrow—Mondragon Cup (kindly presented by Mr. P. J. Ruttledge), singles v. bogey, confined to members of golf clubs in Co. Kildare and members of recognised golf clubs resident in Co. Kildare; draws from 2.0 p.m.

DUN LAOGHAIRE—Ladies' Branch—Mrs. Reddick's prize bisques: Miss D. O'Kelly (13 bisques), 1 up; Mrs. Crisp (17), all square; Mrs. McGloughlin (17), all square. August 1—Medal, bogey.

WOODBROOK—To-day—Medals, strokes. To-morrow—Qualifying round, Muskerry Cup.

SKERRIES—To-day—Club prize. To-morrow—Open fourball.

ROYAL DUBLIN—To-day—Lady HolmPatrick Cup, bogey.

KILCRONEY.—Ladies.—Captain's (Mr. L. J. Smyth) prize—Mrs. W. R. Crichton (30), 69; Mrs. J. Ganly (33), 72.

HERMITAGE.—To-day—Semi-open mixed foursomes, bogey.

PORTARLINGTON.—Ladies' Branch. Stroke, 9 holes—Miss O'Donnell and Miss J. Sweeney tied with 37. Bogey—Mrs. W. Hagan, 2 down. Eclectic—Miss B. Sweeney, 31, one club; Miss Caulfield (36), 72.

BUNDORAN.—Gordon Inglis Cup. Winner, H. McClelland (4); runner-up, J. P. O'Carroll (1). Johnston Cup. Winner, B. Staunton (15); runner-up, H. McClelland (3). Bogey competition—Rev. B. Maguire (13), 1 down; J. P. O'Carroll (1), H. McClelland (3), R. Burke (8), B. Staunton (15), 2 down.

NEWLANDS.—To-morrow—Mixed foursomes, 18 holes, strokes.

ELM PARK.—To-day—"Veterans' Trophy," 18 holes, strokes. Wednesday Cup, 18 holes, strokes—W. Graham (16), 68; P. J. Duffy (14), 69; H. Colligan (17), 71; S. Sheehan (9), 71; R. V. Kilmurray (11), 73.

OPEN MIXED FOURBALL AT DUN LAOGHAIRE,

SAT., 10th AUGUST.

Versus Bogey: Handicap Limits—Men 18, Ladies 24. Post Entries. —(Advt.)

SWIMMING

SANDYCOVE CLUB

Results of club races:— 50 Metres Juvenile Handicap—D. Feddis (7), 1; S. O'Sullivan (8), 2; M. O'Farrell (scr.), 3. Nine competed. Time, 44 secs. 100 Metres Junior Handicap—M. Collins, 1; S. Collins, 2; G. Brady, 3. Time, 92 secs. 100 Metres Senior Handicap (President's prize)—D. O'Donoghue (29), 1; G. O. Mahony (25), 2; S. B. Banks (35), 3. Seventeen competed. Time, 85 secs.

Tuesday next at Blackrock Baths—100 Metres Handicap (Byrne Challenge Cup), 200 Metres Handicap (Boys), and Juvenile Race.

POLO

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE

To-day's match at the A.I.P.C. ground, Phoenix Park, at 4.30, will be between the following teams:—

Montpelier—Mr. D. W. Phibbs, Mr. G. V. Malcomson, Mr. W. Tyrrell, Mr. W. Magee.

Simmonscourt—Mr. R. H. Usher, Mr. C. J. MacAuley, Mr. W. Byrne, Mr. J. Johnson, Major T. W. Kirkwood.

Umpire—Mr. J. J. Durack.

GAELIC GAMES

LEINSTER FINAL AT CROKE PARK

BIG MATCHES AT CAVAN AND THURLES

(By PAT'O.)

Four Delaney brothers and an uncle (T. Delaney) make a sturdy framework in the Laoighis attempt to win back the Leinster title at Croke Park. Eastern champions in 1936, 1937 and 1938, Laoighis were beaten in the first 1939 round by their rivals of to-morrow. Carlow ran Laoighis to a point this year; Wexford were well beaten, but Offaly extended the Stradbally and Graigue men. Laoighis followers are confident of beating Meath.

The Boyne Valley footballers were not impressive in their earlier rounds this season, and Dublin held the beating of them at Drochead Nua had they kept their heads. Meath will be a fitter side to-morrow; like Laoighis, they play strong, earnest football. P. Donnelly comes back in the defence, and their 1939 'keeper, McEnroe, returns to goal. A lucky goal may decide between two level sides.

No changes are reported from the selected Cork and Limerick teams for Thurles. Limerick appear satisfied with the side that struggled home from Waterford at Clonmel, though a few failed to please the critics. John Quirke (Blackrock) was certain of his place when his injured hand admitted. He has been under expert treatment, and latest reports confirm his re-appearance on the 40 yards mark. Limerick's younger group—Chalke, Stokes, Herbert and Cooke—are gathering experience, but I think the more mature Cork side will retain their title, though the lead may change more than once.

Down footballers proved the surprise packet of the Northern series. There is no mistaking the merit of this new side that put out Tyrone and Monaghan. Cavan, however, have trained assiduously, and the Breffni venue will suit them—a difficult pitch for visitors. I think Cavan will qualify to meet Kerry on August 18th.

FIXTURES.

CROKE PARK—Laoighis v. Meath (holders) (senior football), 3.45. Kildare v. Laoighis (minor football), 2.30.

THURLES—Cork (holders) v. Limerick (senior hurling), 3.45; Limerick and Clare (minor hurling), 2.30.

CAVAN—Cavan v. Down (senior football), 4.15; Monaghan v. Antrim (minor football), 3.0.

COOLOCK—Faughs v. New Ireland Assurance Co., 11.45 a.m.; Kevins v. B. Ruadh, 1.0.

PARNELL PARK—Sean McDermotts v. Parnells, 12.15; St. Agnes v. Ben Edars, 1.30.

LAWN TENNIS

DUBLIN PLAYERS IN THE FINAL

CONNAUGHT SENIOR TITLES AT GALWAY

E. H. Porter and B. J. Murphy reached the final of the men's singles for the championship of Connacht at the Galway tournament yesterday. Results:—

Men's—Third Round—E. H. Porter beat P. O'Malley—6-1, 6-0; R. F. Jones beat J. Molloy—6-1, 6-2; B. J. Murphy beat R. Buchanan—3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-Finals—E. H. Porter beat R. F. Jones—6-1, 6-4; B. J. Murphy beat F. A. Ashe—6-1, 6-2.

Women's Singles—Third Round—Miss S. Hogan beat Miss S. Sandys—6-1, 6-0; Miss H. Thornton beat Miss Campbell—6-2, 6-1; Miss F. Wrenn beat Miss H. Symes—6-1, 5-7, 6-2; Miss R. Blake beat Miss J. Ward—6-3, 4-6, 8-6.

Mixed Doubles—Third Round—J. J. Claughlin and Mrs. Braund beat D. O'C. Miley and Miss Nesham—6-2, 6-1; B. J. Murphy and Miss T. Mullaney beat R. F. Jones and Miss H. Thornton—6-2, 6-1; E. H. Porter and Mrs. Porter beat R. Buchanan and Miss J. Ward—6-1, 6-2; T. Dunlop and Miss S. Hogan beat P. Meenan and Miss F. Wrenn—6-0, 6-3.

SUNDAY'S WELL RESULTS

Two Dublin players qualified for the final of the men's open singles at Sunday's Well, Cork, tournament yesterday. They are P. Read and G. Jackson, who defeated E. M. Daly and B. A. Haughton respectively. Results:—

Men's Open Singles (Semi-finals)—P. Read beat E. M. Daly—4-6, 6-4, 7-5; G. Jackson beat B. A. Haughton—6-4, 6-3.

Women's Open Singles—Miss N. Conway beat Miss Godfrey—6-8, 6-4, 6-8; Miss F. Keanrey beat Miss Foley—6-3, 6-2.

Mixed Open Doubles (Semi-finals)—F. C. South and Miss Keanrey beat E. Daly and Miss Conway—7-5, 4-6, 6-1; G. Jackson and Miss Godfrey beat F. Mockler and Miss Houlihan—6-0, 8-6.

JUNIOR TOURNAMENT AT SLIGO

Results of the Junior Championship at Sligo yesterday were:—

Boys' Championship Singles (3rd Round)—W. Martin beat M. Raftery—6-0, 6-4; J. A. Thornton beat Jack Hardy—3-6, 7-5, 7-5. Semi-final—F. S. Lyons beat W. Martin—6-2, 6-2.

Girls' Championship Singles (Semi-finals)—Miss M. Flattery beat Miss F. M. East—6-0, 6-2; Miss F. Flattery beat Miss U. Byrne—6-1, 6-1.

Girls' Handicap Singles (3rd Round)—Miss M. Raftery w.o., Miss Miley scr.; Miss D. Martin beat Miss Joy Dwyer—6-0, 6-0. Semi-final—Miss M. Raftery beat Miss F. Flattery—6-3, 6-4.

Boys' Handicap Singles (2nd Round)—G. O'Rourke beat J. A. Thornton—4-6, 6-3, 6-3. 3rd Round—F. S. Lyons w.o., P. Maloney beat T. Totsrey—6-1, 4-6, 6-2.

"IRISH TIMES" STAFF CLUB

Owing to the death of Sir John Arnott, Bart., the "at home" announced to be held at the grounds, Milltown, to-day, will not take place.

TO-DAY'S "AT HOMES"

Percy, at Donnybrook, 3 o'c. (dance in pavilion, 9 to 1); De Vesci, 3 o'c.; Mountpleasant, club finals, 3 o'c.; Co. Wicklow, club finals, 2.30.

COUNTY CAVAN LAWN TENNIS CLUB TOURNAMENT

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIPS OF COUNTY CAVAN.

Five Handicap Events.

COMMENCING MONDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, 1940.

RUSHBROOKE L.T. AND CROQUET CLUB.

The annual junior lawn tennis tournament, including the close championships of Ireland, will take place on the above club's grounds, commencing Monday, August 12th. Entries close 6 p.m. Friday, August 9th, with Captain A. H. C. C. Home, The Brake, Queenstown, Co. Cork—(Tel. Cobh 127)—from whom all particulars can be obtained.—(Advt.)

CRICKET

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

SENIOR LEAGUE.

Merrion v. Leinster, Anglesea road, 2.30.
Y.M.C.A. v. Phoenix, Claremont road, 2.30.
Clontarf v. Pembroke, Castle avenue, 2.30.

QUALIFYING LEAGUE.

Cremore v. Civil Service, Glasnevin.
Carlisle v. Malahide Kimmage.
Railway Union v. Imperial Tobacco Company, Park avenue.

INTERMEDIATE CUP—FINAL.

Rush v. Phoenix 2nd I.T.C. grounds, Crumlin.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.

Leinster 2nd v. Postal Services, Rathmines.
St. James's Gate v. St. Mary's, Crumlin.
Raheny v. Richmond, Raheny.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Hammond Lane v. Railway Union 2nd, Beaver Row.
C.Y.M.S. 2nd v. Drogheda Y.M.C.A., Terenure.
3rd O.B.U. v. St. James's Gate 2nd, Donnybrook.
Stradbrook v. Santry, Stradbrook.
Postal Services 2nd v. Pioneers, Santry.
St. Mary's College 2nd v. Merrion 3rd, Templeogue.

MINOR CUP—FINAL.

Y.M.C.A. 3rd v. Pembroke 4th, King's Hospital ground, Blackhall place

MINOR LEAGUE.

Ierne 3rd v. Jacobs 2nd, Richmond road.

SENIOR CLUB GAME.

Monkstown v. Dublin University L.V., Serpentine avenue

SUNDAY FIXTURES.

Pembroke 3rd v. Phoenix, Sydney Parade.
Carlisle v. Merrion, Parkmore Drive.

TEAMS

Leinster—J. R. Graham (capt.), M. D. Burke, P. Boland, C. R. Cuffe, F. G. Connell, F. W. Fox, J. R. Gill, N. H. Lambert, C. Manahan, P. C. Mannion, P. R. Murphy.

Pembroke—B. F. Bergin (capt.), W. F. Aylward, I. R. Cope, G. C. Erskine, A. G. Murray, S. G. Murphy, F. J. Miller, E. C. Smith, T. F. Ward, M. B. Williams, T. C. Williams. Substitute—F. H. C. Salmon.

Pembroke 2nd—B. P. Manning (capt.), G. R. Burrowes, P. J. Byrne, R. L. Crosby, P. M. Clifford, J. T. Egan, R. A. George, F. J. Gillespie, F. S. Lomax, R. W. Miller, D. T. Murphy. Substitute—T. C. Fox.

Y.M.C.A.—G. J. Balmer, A. Beatty, C. Colter, V. C. Dobson, D. Gill, W. Hanna, E. P. Peake, J. H. Ross, W. Row, F. L. Wolfe. Another.

Cremore—R. Anderson (capt.), T. Barnwell, W. Coghlan, G. Duff, R. Duggan, L. Gilbert, J. Harte, K. Henderson, J. Reid, J. Smyth, J. Spencer. Substitutes—B. Doyle, D. Lowe.

Carlisle—W. Samuels, C. Warnock, A. Solomons, L. Warnock, J. Roberts, A. Barling, R. Jacobs, N. B. Hool, A. Cowan, L. Samuels, S. Dankër.

Carlisle (Sunday)—A. Solomons, L. Samuels, C. Warnock, J. Roberts, L. G. Jacobson, R. Jacobs, R. Smith, L. Warnock, A. Cowan, N. B. Hool. Another.

Merrion—J. A. O'Donnell, C. Curley, J. D'Arcy, K. Dempsey, W. Lindsay, C. J. Little, G. Meara, J. D. O'Connor, R. H. Shortt, P. Waldron, P. Warren.

Merrion "A" (Sunday)—C. J. Little, A. E. Bex, R. H. Browett, S. Curley, J. D'Arcy, J. J. Fagan, S. Greer, C. Mara, D. O'Neill, P. Waldron, P. Warren.

Phoenix—D. R. Pigot, P. J. Quinn, F. M. Quinn, G. J. Quinn, B. Quinn, J. C. Boucher, R. H. Russell, B. Fox, J. Brophy, J. Byrne, N. R. Fox.

Phoenix 2nd—R. N. Greer, J. M. Hannahan, P. O'Leary, O. O'Connell, J. McClure, K. Quinn, C. Nolan, W. H. Brooks, J. Reddin, W. McCullagh, J. Murphy.

YACHTING

SAILING FIXTURES FOR TO-DAY

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLONTARF REGATTA

Clontarf Regatta is included in the other sailing fixtures of this afternoon. A tidal fixture, it is restricted to yachts not exceeding 6ft. draught, and in connection with it there are two races, started at Dun Laoghaire and Howth respectively, which will finish at Clontarf on the line off the C.Y. and B.O. clubhouse. The race for Dun Laoghaire will be sent off at 3.35 p.m., but the start may be delayed if there is a prospect of the first boat to finish arriving before 5 p.m. The race from Howth is for motor boats the property of members of the H.S.C. or H.M.Y.C. The local events at Clontarf are: 4 o'clock, C.Y. and B.O. sail boats; 4.20 p.m., 17-Footers; 4.40 p.m., Skerries S.C. boats; 5 o'clock, Sutton 12ft. Dinghies. High water at Clontarf at 5.51 p.m.

At Dun Laoghaire the R.A.Y.C. fixture is a handicap for cruisers 9 tons and over. First gun at 2.45 p.m.

The handicaps for the Dublin Bay S.C. matches are:—

No. 1 Class—Marania (scr.); Pancillio, 4m.; Espanola, 7m.; Mavis, 8m.; Acushla, 10m.; Ainmara, 15m.; Bonita, 26m.; Mercia, 33m.; Huzure, 40m.; Boneen, 42m.; Highflyer and Happy Days, 43m. each.

21-Footers—Innisfallen (scr.); Geraldine, 1m.; Estelle, Oola, 2m.; Garavoge, 5m.; Naneen, 6m.; Maureen, 7m.

Mermaids—Stella (scr.); Iolar, 1m.; Daphne, 2m.; Ruby, Minx 3m.; Amy, Mantis, 4m.; Nonbril, 5m.; Tuano, 6m.

Water Wags—Phyllis, Penelope, Nesta (scr.); Coquette, 1m.; Pansy, 3m.; Blue Bird, 5m.; Amyl, Mollie, Saryalis, Vega, 6m.; Alfa, Shindillis, Nandor, 7m.; Tomboy, 8m.; Sprite, 9m.; Glanora, 11m.; all others 4m.

BOWLING

BOWIE WINS MARPER CUP

W. L. Bowie (St. James's Gate) beat his clubmate, F. Cullen, by 21 shots to 17, in the final of the Marper Cup (single-handed championship) at Blackrock last night.

In the final of the junior rinks championship Leinster (E. Lutman) defeated St. James's Gate (A. Wilson) by 25-19.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES

Senior League—St. James's Gate v. Clontarf, Iveagh grounds, 3.0; Imperial Tobacco v. Kenilworth, Crumlin, 3.0; Leinster v. Blackrock, Rathmines, 3.0.

Junior League—Portrane v. St. James's Gate, Donabate, 3.0; Clontarf v. Leinster, Donnycarney, 3.0.

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING

DUBLIN TRAMWAYS MEETING

OVER 800 ENTRIES FOR CROKE PARK TO-DAY

Inaugurated over forty years ago, the Dublin United Tramways Employés' Sports long ago established itself as the most popular and successful of the season's meetings. It has through the years considerably increased the Employés' Provident Fund. During the war of 1914-1918 the meetings were held in aid of that fund and the Red Cross Society, and a portion of the proceeds of to-day's reunion at Croke Park will be allotted to the Irish Red Cross Society. In that way the event will make an even stronger appeal than usual to the Dublin public.

An entry of close on eight hundred reflects the popularity of the fixture; they came in from the four provinces, the best athletes in the country being represented in a list of six hundred. For the "Tramway Hundred" there are thirty-eight, with six heats. Kevin Flanagan and E. Fitzmaurice, the two University College cracks, are at scratch. The season's form in our sprints suggests a very close contest here, but it at their best one of other of the scratchmen should win.

The quarter likewise should provide a thrilling final. Fifty-three comprise the four heats, being one more than those entered for the half-mile, in which B. J. Flanagan is on the honour mark at 15 yards. The Coolcroo, Killenaule, and Feahle clubs are strongly represented in the mile, but so convincing was the running of T. Collins (Drogheda) and B. Downey (Civil Service) at Guinness's Sports last Saturday that, even off much shorter marks now, they will have to be seriously reckoned with. On the Iveagh track Collins ran a fine race, indeed, to beat Downey easily by five yards. D. J. Moroney at the same meeting won the four miles, followed home by J. Donnelly and J. Gill, a circumstance that impressed itself on the handicapper, who has brought Moroney back 180 yards and Donnelly 190 yards, the scratchman being T. Maguire, of Killenaule, who concedes 50 yards to P. Healy, of Coolcroo. One of the cycling events is the three-miles national grass championship, which will bring out all the best of our wheelmen; this time a time-limit will be enforced.

The confined events start at 1 o'clock, and the first of the open, the heats in the sprint, at 1.50.

BOXING

COLE AND MULCAHY TO MEET AGAIN

Chris. Cole and Pat Mulcahy have agreed to fight again in Dublin on August 17.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

GRAIN.

DUBLIN GRAIN—Offerings in excess of slow demand around the following prices—Oats 17/- to 18/6 per barrel delivered.

THE BALTIC—WHEAT—Market displayed dull features and f.o.b. offers were unchanged for all descriptions. MAIZE steadily held. Plate August 14/1½, September 14/4½. No. 2 white flat African bulk August-September 17/-. No. 3 also No. 5 ditto 16/9. No. 6 yellow round ditto 17/3 per 480lb. BARLEY slow. No. 2 Canadian Western six row Montreal last half August 16/9 per 400lb.

MARK LANE—Demand generally quiet, apart from some interest for English barley, with supplies very small and prices steady. WHEAT—English milling fixed price 31/6 per 504lb. at farm; imported feeding £7 4/1 per ton ex store. BARLEY—English malting ranged from 70/- to 75/- per 448lb. at farm. OATS—English feed maximum price 33/-, milling ditto 36/- per 336lb. at farm.

LIVERPOOL CORN.—All cereals met more or less inquiry, the Port Area Grain Committee filling requirements as far as possible at fixed prices, distributing firms charging carriage and haulage. Shipment parcels of wheat f.o.b. somewhat irregular, but showed little material change, Winnipeg market remaining unaltered. No. 1 Manitoba (Montreal), second half October held at 30/7½, first half November 30/9, second half November 31/-; No. 2, second half October 29/10½, first half November 30/-, second half November 30/3; No. 1 Manitoba (St. John), first half December 32/4½, second half December 32/6, second half January 32/10½; No. 1 Vancouver, July 25/10½, No. 2 24/9 per quarter.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG—Creams in good supply and fairly well placed at 159/- cash and 161/- per cwt. credit sales. Egg production reported smaller, with export demand steady and local buyers cautious at—Specials 17/6 to 18/-, standards 16/6 to 17/3, selected 15/6 to 16/6, pullets 15/-, seconds 14/- to 15/-, and selected ducks 15/- to 16/- per 120.

DUBLIN POULTRY—General supplies moderate and cleared fairly well without any material change in values at—Chickens best 1/1 to 1/2 per lb., others 1/6 to 2/- each; best ducks 10d. to 1/- per lb., seconds 1/6 to 2/-, old 6d. to 1/- each; large fat hens 2/- to 2/6, extra 3/-, others 1/- to 1/6; large graziers 5d. to 6d., smalls 2d. to 4d., and rabbits 4d. to 5d. each.

DUBLIN FISH—On offer, 25 packages salmon, 9 boxes lobsters, 30 boxes herrings, 100 boxes mackerel and a fair amount from country and local senders. Demand steady at—Salmon 1/3 to 1/7, grilse 1/4 to 1/5, soles black 9d. to 1/6, trout 1/2 to 1/6, turbot and brill 6d. to 10d. per lb., lobsters 3/- to 15/- per 13, herrings 37/- to 47/-, mackerel 6/- to 22/-, plaice 30/- to 60/-, dabs 13/- to 20/-, whiting 7/6 to 30/-, conger eels 5/- to 7/-, ray 8/- to 21/-.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Home-grown arrivals moderate, with prices and demand more satisfactory at—York cabbage, large 14/- to 46/-, small 10/- to 15/- load; cauliflowers 5/- to 8/-, seconds 1/- to 4/-; marrows 2/- to 6/-, cucumbers 2/6 to 5/-, lettuce 3d. to 10d. dozen; Swedes, 2/6 to 3/- per cwt.; rhubarb 9d. to 2/-, parsnips 2/- to 2/6, carrots 1/- to 2/6 dozen bunches; scallions, 8d. to 1/6 bunch; peas 4/- to 6/6 bag, 10/- to 14/- sack; mushrooms 1/- to 1/6, tomatoes, 6d. to 10d. per lb.; currants 4d. to 1/1, raspberries 6d. to 1/2 punnet; gooseberries, 3/6 to 6/- chip; apples, 9/- to 25/-. barrel. Imported fruits scarce and firm at—Apples, 14/- to 30/- box; oranges 20/- to 28/-, lemons 60/- to 70/-, grapefruit 40/- to 45/- case; pineapples, 3/- to 5/- each; English cherries, 16/- to 18/- crate; onions, Valencia 20/- to 26/- case, and Egyptian 20/- to 22/- bag.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies in excess of fair trade passing at—Epicures 7/- and Queens 8/- per cwt.

LONDON.—BUTTER—Importer to wholesaler 143/-, wholesaler to retailer 150/- per cwt., and retail price 1/7 per lb. BACON and HAMS—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarter sides 121/6, Spencers 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6, gammons or hams green 118/6, smoked 128/6, Ulster rolls boneless green 123/6, smoked 133/6, Ayrshire rolls boneless and skinless 126/6 to 157/6 per cwt. LARD—Importer to wholesaler 64/-, wholesaler to retailer 69/- per cwt.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Salmon 2/7½, lemon soles 16/9, small halibut 17/-, haddocks 7/6 to 8/-, medium 7/- to 7/6, small 6/6 to 7/-; large sprags 9/6 to 10/-, dabs 8/6 to 14/-, roker 11/- to 12/-, monkfish 8/6, dogfish 9/-, coalfish 7/6 per stone.

MANCHESTER SALMON AND POULTRY.—The moderate supplies of salmon and grilse now coming to hand only meet with a quiet enquiry, but there is no giving way in prices. Medium Irish salmon quoted 2/6 and grilse 2/4 to 2/6 per lb. In dead poultry, ducklings the turn lower, but other descriptions unchanged. Irish and English chickens 1/6, fowls 10d., ducklings 1/4 per lb.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER in steady demand at full rates. First-hand price 145/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON in good request, with supplies on a satisfactory basis. Bindal prices—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarters 121/6, Spencers and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, backs cut in U.K. 141/6, cut outside U.K. 131/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6, fores and squares 92/6, fore hocks and pic-nics 70/6, North of Ireland rolls 123/6. Wholesaler to retailer—Wiltshires 125/-, three-quarters 133/-, Spencers and Cumberlands 123/-, middles 134/-, backs cut in U.K. 153/-, cut outside U.K. 143/-, streaks 96/-, clear bellies 101/-, fores and squares 104/-, fore hocks and picnics 82/-, North of Ireland rolls 135/-. HAMS continue firm, with allotments restricted. Unsmoked to wholesalers 118/6, to retailers 130/-, smoked 10/- extra. LARD—The market remains firm. First-hand price 64/-, wholesalers 69/-. EGGS—Eirean firm on short supplies. Specials and standards 19/6, selected 17/-, English and Northern Ireland scarce and nominal.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Aggregate pitchings of both home-killed and imported ample for all requirements. HOME-KILLED—Beef sides 7d. to 9d., hindquarters 8d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d. Veal, best fat calves 11d., others 7d. to 9d. Lambs, first quality 1/-. Pork, best 1/- to 1/0½, heavier 9½d. to 10d. IMPORTED—Beef, hindquarters 8d., forequarters 6d. Mutton 6½d. Lambs 9d. Pigs 9d. per lb.

LIVERPOOL.—No new feature presented itself in this market yesterday.

PRODUCE.

LONDON—COCOA—Accra G/F spot London sold 36/-, and sellers Ceylon fair to fine spot sellers 55/- to 57/-, Trinidad 68/- to 75/-, Grenada 58/- to 60/- per cwt. SPICE—Pepper—Black Lampong spot in bond sellers 4¼d. per lb. GUNNIES firmer. Hessians 10oz. by 40 August shipment sellers 27/5, 8oz. ditto 20/10 per 100 yards c.i.f. Twills—Liverpool A August 71/6, B ditto 63/- per 100 bags c.i.f. RUBBER closed dull. Sheet spot and August sold 1/0⅝, September quoted 1/0¼, October-December sold 1/-, January-March quoted 11¾d. per lb. OILS—The following are selling prices for material allocated to the primary wholesalers and large trade consumers:—Linseed—Raw £44. Rape—Crude £44 5/-. Cottonseed—Crude £31 2/6, washed £34 5/-, refined £35 12/6, deodorised £36 10/-. Soya Bean—Crude £33, refined deodorised £37. Groundnut—Crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £40, hardened £44. Coconut—Crude £28 2/6, refined deodorised £31 7/6, refined hardened £35 17/6. Palm Kernel—Crude £27 10/-, refined deodorised £30 15/-, hardened £35 5/-. Castor—Firsts £57, seconds £55. Whale—Crude £30 10/- to £31 10/-, refined hardened £33 to £33 10/- per ton net naked ex mill or works. Palm Oil—C.i.f. in bulk £17 5/-, loan drums £19 5/-, returnable casks £18 15/-. Turpentine quiet. American spot 53/- per cwt. Rosin—American ranged from 25/- to 30/-, as to grade per cwt. OILSEEDS—Markets quiet. The following are approximate shippers' indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurance:—Linseed—Calcutta July-August £16 12/6, Bombay ditto £17 2/6. Plate nominal. Rapeseed—Toria July-August £15 2/6. Groundnuts—Coromandel July-August £15 12/6. Castorseed—Bombay July-August £17 15/-. Calcutta ditto £17 5/-. Soya Beans—Manchurian July-August £15. Palm Kernels—West African July-August £10. Hempseed—Manchurian July-August £23 per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—COCOA—Prices of West African remain steady and unaltered.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Hay supplies larger, with demand and prices firmer at—Best 3/9 to 4/-, secondary quality 3/3 to 3/6, softer 2/9 to 3/- per cwt. Straw in small supply, and readily cleared at 4/6 to 5/6 per cwt.

J. LIGHTFOOT and SON, M.I.A.A., HAY, STRAW, CORN and POTATO FACTORS, MARY'S LANE and GEORGE'S HILL, DUBLIN. (Established 1813.) —(Advt.)

IRELAND'S TIME HONOURED TRAMWAY SPORTS CROKE PARK TO-DAY

(In aid of Employés' Benevolent Fund and Irish Red Cross.)

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS:

TRAMWAY "HUNDRED," Three Miles Cycling (Grass) Championship of Ireland.

THE USUAL MAGNIFICENT PRIZES.

FIRST EVENT, ONE O'CLOCK SHARP.

LESS NERVOUSNESS ON WALL STREET

CLOSE FIRM, DESPITE REALISING

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Friday.

Less nervousness was apparent regarding European events. Moreover, the very favourable earnings reports brought in a little buying, but many operators are still hugging the sidelines and awaiting developments. The turnover of 270,000 shares comprised 551 stocks, of which 252 were higher and 145 were lower.

The opening was dull, but steady, with the majority tilting upward, and the improvement in London viewed as encouraging. With buyers cautious, the market was quiet and slightly below best in the early afternoon, but still showed gains ranging to a point. The Steels, Aircrafts and Motors were in the forefront.

The market later turned quiet, with a little realising in the final dealings, but the close was firm, and quotations finished anything to a point higher.

Sterling exchange opened 3½ points up at $3.86½, and closed 4 points higher at $3.87. Silver was unchanged at 34¾c.

	Fri.	Thur.
Call Money	1%	1%
London Cables	3.87	3.83
Montreal Cables	4.43¼	4.38¾
Paris Cables	—	—

Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Fri.	Closing Bid Thur
4 5/16	Baltimore and Ohio	3½	3½
3¾	Canadian Pacific	2⅞	2⅞
66 5/16	Louisville and Nashville	53½	56½
14¼	N.Y. Central	11½	11½
253 1/16	Norfolk and W. Common	204¼	203
24 5/16	Pennsylvania	19¾	20⅛
15	Reading	12½	12⅛
10	Southern Pacific	8¼	8¼
13 5/16	Southern Railway	10¼	10⅜
100¼	Union Pacific	80⅞	80⅞
	INDUSTRIALS.		
182¾	Allied Chemical	147½	147
15 5/16	American Locomotive	12⅜	12
17 1/16	American Metal	13¼	13¼
115⅜	American Can	93½	93¼
43 1/16	American Smelting	34¾	34⅞
159	American Tel and Tel.	159	158½
23 1/16	Anaconda Copper	18⅜	18⅜
—	Auburn Auto	—	—
94 13/16	Bethlehem Steel	76½	76
58⅛	Case (J. I.)	47½	47½
82 1/16	Chrysler Corp.	66¼	65
146 13/16	Eastman Kodak	118½	119
38¾	General Electric	31¼	31¾
54⅜	General Motors	43¾	43½
28¾	International Nickel	22⅞	21¾
3¼	Do. Tel. and Tel.	2⅝	2⅝
31 1/16	Kennecott Corp.	25½	24⅞
5 11/16	Radio Corporation	4⅝	4⅝
10 5/16	Shell Union	8⅜	8⅜
22 15/16	U.S. Rubber	18½	18⅜
62 11/16	U.S. Steel Common	50⅝	50⅝
142½	Do Preferred	115⅜	116
37 5/16	Woolworth	32¾	32¾
—	Silver Com. Bars	34¾	34¾
3 7/16	Brazilian Traction	2¾	2⅝
9⅜	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	7¾	7¾
—	Hydro Electric	—	—
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treasury 3¾% '46-56	—	—
26	7% German External Loan	21	—

† Ex dividend.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv.		Closing Bid Fri.	Closing Bid Thur
165	Bell. Tel. (Canada)	147½	147
4¾	Brazilian T.L. and P.	4¼	4⅛
—	B C Power "A"	—	—
1⅛	Do. "B"	1	1
7 5/16	Canadian Car and F.	6½	6½
15 13/16	Do. Preferred	14½	14
30¾	Canadian Celanese Com.	27½	27
127⅞	Do. Pref.	114	113
4½	Canadian Cement	4	4
89½	Do Preferred	80	80
1¾	Canadian Indus Alc. Com.	1.55	—
1¾	Do. "B"	1.55	—
4 15/16	Canadian Pacific	4⅜	4⅜
5 5/16	Cockshutt Plow	4¾	4¾
34 11/16	Con. M. and Smelt.	32	31½
27⅞	Distillers Seagrams	24½	25
26⅝	Dom. Bridge	24	23½
86 11/16	Dom. Textiles	77½	77½
11⅜	Imperial Oil	10	10
13⅝	Imperial Tobacco (Canada)	12¼	12½
36¼	International Nickel of Canada	32¼	32
16½	International Petroleum	14½	14½
4	Massey Harris	3¾	2¾
30¾	Montreal Light and Heat	27½	28¼
53 11/16	Do. Notes and Certs.	48	48
28	National Brewers	25	25
44 3/16	National Steel Car	39½	37½
27 3/16	Ogilvie Flour Mills	24½	24
7	Power Corp (Canada)	6½	6½
15¼	Quebec Power	13½	13¼
19 13/16	Shawinigan Water	17¾	17⅞
11⅞	Southern Canadian Power	10¼	—
69¼	Steel Co. of Canada	62	63
—	Hollinger Mines	—	10½
55 15/16	Noranda Mines	50	48
201⅜	Bank of Montreal	180	178¼
—	Bank of Nova Scotia	—	—
156⅝	Canadian Bank of Commerce	140	138
—	Royal Bank of Canada	—	150
	CURB PRICES.		
41½	Hiram Walker	37	37
19 13/16	Lake Shore Mines	17¾	17¾
43⅝	McIntyre Porcupine	39	39½

† Ex dividend

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

Wheat steady; No. 1 Northern Manitoba spot c.i.f. New York 82½, No. 2 Manitoba hard winter spot c.i.f. New York 92½, No. 2 red winter spot 91½. **Maize** steady; Western No. 2 mixed spot 80½. **Oats** steady; No. 2 white (per 36lb.) c.i.f. New York 43½. **Rye** steady; No. 2 spot f.o.b. New York 63¼. **Barley** steady; No. 2 New York, all growths Federal inspected, 59. **Flour and Lard** steady, generally unchanged. **Petroleum** steady; mid-Continent crude 36 degrees baume at well, per barrel, 102 cents.; Pennsylvania crude, barrel at well—Lower price, 112 cents., representing corning crude; higher price, 200 cents., representing Bradford and Allegheny. **Burlaps** steady. Hessian cloth, light-weight 5.40, heavy 7.30. **Tallow** steady. **Cotton Seed**—Futures closed steady, 1 to 2 points up. **Shellac**—T.N. 14½. **Turpentine**—Spot 32. **Straits Tin** quiet, unchanged. **American Standard Copper** firm, 18 to 14 points up. **Coffee** on spot closed quiet, with both Rio and Santos unchanged. Futures opened quiet. The close was barely steady, with Rio generally 2 points lower, and Santos 7 to 6 points down. **Cocoa**—Spot 4½. Futures closed barely steady, 6 to 7 points down. **Sugar** on spot closed easy, and 3 points lower at 2.63. Futures closed barely steady, with the new contract unchanged to 1½ points down, and the old contract 1 point to 2 points lower. **Cotton** on spot (1⅛") closed 5 points lower at 10.43 (nominal). Futures opened quiet, and unchanged at 2 points up. The close was steady at 5 to 2 points down. At New Orleans spot (1⅛") closed unchanged at 10.30 (nominal). Futures closed 5 to 2 points lower. **Rubber Futures** (No. 1 contract)—Closing options: July 22.25 (22.38), September 19.49 (19.51), October 19.15 (19.10). Outside prices: First latex thin crepe spot 20½ buyers, smoked ribbed sheets spot 21½ buyers, 22½ sellers; do. August-September 19½ buyers; do. October-December 18½ buyers, 19 sellers. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

WINNIPEG GRAINS

Wheat dull and unchanged. **Oats** steady. July 30⅞ (30⅝), Oct. 29 (29⅛), Dec. 27⅝ (27½). **Rye** steady. July 46⅜ (45½), Oct. 46⅜ (46), Dec. 47¾ (47). **Barley** steady. July 34⅜ (34¼), Oct. 35¾ (35⅝), Dec. 36⅜ (36¼). **Linseed** firm. July 135 (132⅛), Oct. 134½ (134).

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

CHICAGO MARKETS

Wheat steady. No. 2 hard winter spot, 75 (74¾). Opening options—Sept. 73⅞ (74⅝), Dec. 75⅝ (76⅛), May 76¾ (77⅝). Closing options—Sept. 74⅛ to 74¼ (74⅛ to 74¼), Dec. 75¼ to 75⅜ (75⅜ to 75½), May 76⅝ (76⅞ to 77). **Maize** steady. Opening options—Sept. 61 (62), Dec. 58 (59), May 60⅜ (61¼). Closing options—Sept. 61¼ (61¼), Dec. 58½ (58), May 60¾ (60⅛). **Oats** steady. Sept. 29, Dec. 30 (29¾), May 31⅜ (31⅛). **Rye** steady. Sept. 43⅞ (44), Dec. 46⅜ (46⅜), May 49⅜ (48⅞). **Lard** steady. Prime Western steam loose spot, 4.70 (4.70). July 5.55 (5.55), Sept. 5.62½ (5.62½), Oct. 5.72½ (5.70), Dec. 5.90 (5.85). **Bacon** steady, unchanged. **Hogs** steady. Light-weight, 5.85 (5.55); heavy, 5.80 (5.25).

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

THE MONEY MARKET

The easier conditions which developed in Lombard Street on Thursday were fully maintained yesterday. The clearing banks fulfilled previous promises of substantial purchases of short-dated bills, and a fair turn-over was reported at the 1 per cent. minimum. Other discount rates remained at the usual levels.

Substantial quantities of current Treasury Bill maturities are held by public departments, with the result that it has been unnecessary for the Treasury to allot the whole of the original offer of £65,000,000. The average rate was £1/0/4.44, compared with £1/0/4.45 last week.

The Silver market benefited from a little bear covering, the spot price improving 1/16d. to 22½d. per ounce, and forward 1/16d. to 22⅛d.

The few changes in Foreign Exchange rates were adverse to sterling.

Centre	July 26 Closing Rates		July 25 Closing Rates		Parity before 25/9/31
New York*	4.02½	4.03½	4.02½	4.03½	4.86⅝
Montreal*	4.43	4.47	4.43	4.47	4.86⅝
Geneva*	17.70	17.80	17.70	17.80	25.22
Madrid	37.25 sellers		37.25 sellers		25.22
Stockholm	16.85	16.95	16.85	16.95	18.15
Alexandria	97½	97⅞	97½	97⅞	97.5
Athens	515 sellers		515 sellers		375
Helsingfors	180	200	180	200	193.2
Lisbon	99	101	99	101	110
B. Ayres*	16.90	17.13	16.90	17.13	47.577
Lima 90 dy	28½	28½ nom	28½	28½ nom	17.38
M'video	21½	24½ nom	21	24 nom	51
Rio de Jan.	nom		nom		5.89
Valparaiso	95 nom		95 nom		40
Calcutta	17 15/16	18 1/16	17 15/16	18 1/16	18
Hongkong	14½	15¼	14½	15¼	—
Kobe(y.)	14⅛	15⅛	14 1/16	15 1/16	24
Shanghai	3 1/16	4 1/16	3 1/16	4 1/16	—
Singapore	28⅛	28⅜	28⅛	28⅜	28d

* Rates fixed by Bank of England. All others are free market rates.

CUMANN LUIT CLEAS GAEDEAL.

LEINSTER SENIOR FOOTBALL FINAL ON SUNDAY NEXT, 28th JULY AT CROKE PARK

MIDE v. LAOIGIS

3.45 p.m.

MINOR FOOTBALL SEMI-FINAL

CILL DARA v. LAOIGIS

2.30 p.m.

Dul isteach 1/- 7 2/-; ardán nó taob-líne, 1/- sa mbreis.

Trains, ex Kingscourt 11.30, 5/3; An Uaimh, 12.15 and 12.35, 3/8; Oldcastle, 12 noon, 4/9; Athboy, 11.50, 4/-; Ceanannus Mor, 12.20, 4/3; Dundalk, 12 noon, 5/-; Drogheda, 1.30, 3/-; Abbeyleix, 10.10, 5/9; Mountmellick, 10.20, 5/9; Portlaoighise, 10.45, 5/3; Portarlington, 11.5, 4/6; Kildare, 12.15, 3/2; Kilkenny, 10.15, 7/-; Carlow, 11.5, 5/9; Athy, 11.25, 4/6; Thurles, 10.30, 7/4; Ballybrophy, 11.5, 6/3.

SEE RAIL POSTERS FOR DETAILS.

WHY G.N.R. DEFERRED DIVIDENDS

HIGHER COSTS OFFSET BETTER TRAFFICS

The directors of the Great Northern Railway Co. (Ireland) state that they have had before them the accounts for the half-year to 30th June, 1940, and regret that, although there has been an improvement in traffic receipts during the half-year, it is offset by increasing costs of working to an extent which obliges them to defer the consideration of payment of a dividend to the guaranteed stockholders until the end of the year.

There are no earnings available for the payment of any dividends on the Preference and Ordinary stocks.

BRITISH RAILWAYS' RESULTS

GROSS RECEIPTS UP BY TWENTY MILLIONS

The estimated net revenue of the four British main line railway companies and the London Passenger Board for the half-year to the 30th June, 1940, amounts to £20,867,000. The guaranteed net revenue for a full year is approximately £39,700,000.

The gross receipts were £20,687,000 more than in the corresponding period of 1939, whilst the relative expenditure increased by £13,635,000. The increase in passenger receipts amounts to £435,000, freight receipts £19,855,000, and in miscellaneous receipts £397,000. Other items included in the net revenue of the pool show a reduction of £1,089,000.

INTERIM DIVIDENDS

The London, Midland and Scottish Railway is to pay interim dividends of 2 per cent. on the Guaranteed Preference and Preference (1923) stocks. These are the same as last year, apart from the Preference (1923) stock, on which there was no interim distribution last year.

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The Southern Railway announces an interim dividend on the Deferred Ordinary of 2½ per cent. Last year an interim dividend of 1 per cent. was declared.

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The Great Western is paying an interim dividend of 1½ per cent. on the Consolidated Ordinary stock. Consideration of an interim dividend on this stock was deferred last summer.

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London Transport announce a further payment on the "C" stock for the year ended June 30 of ¾ per cent., less income tax at 8s. 6d. in the £.

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The L.N.E.R. interim dividends will be 2 per cent. for the half-year on the 4 per cent. First and Second Guaranteed stocks. This is the same as last year. Consideration of payment of dividends upon other L.N.E.R. stocks has been deferred until the accounts for the whole year are available.

The Dublin (South) City Markets Co.—The report and accounts for the half-year ended June 30, 1940, are summarised in the following table, which gives comparative figures for the three preceding half-years:—

Half-years to	Dec., 1938. £	June, 1939. £	Dec., 1939. £	June, 1940. £
Gross Revenue	9,914	10,147	10,241	10,254
Net Revenue	7,454	8,091	7,884	8,216
Working Charges	2,460	2,056	2,356	2,037
Brought in	4,715	4,567	4,960	5,192
Carry forward	4,567	4,960	5,192	5,674
Deb. Interest	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
To Taxation	1,614	1,822	1,890	2,084
To Contingencies	500	500	500	500
Contingencies Fund	23,500	24,000	24,500	25,000
Dividend	4½% p.a.	4½% p.a.	4½% p.a.	4½% p.a.

Meeting, 3 Fade street, Dublin, Aug. 2, 3 p.m.

Cork Improved Dwellings Co.—A dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum for the half-year on the paid-up capital, free of income tax, was declared at the one hundred and thirty-sixth ordinary general meeting of this company, held at Commercial Buildings, Cork, yesterday.

Brooks, Thomas and Co.—Interim dividend on Ord. shares maintained at 5 per cent. (1/- per share).

British Sugar Corporation.—Dividend for the year raised from 4 per cent. to 4½ per cent.

Distillers Co. announces that in consequence of increase in income tax, the dividend payment will be postponed until August 31. The rate of income tax to be deducted from the half-year's Pref. dividend and the final Ord. dividend (8¾ per cent.) and bonus (1¼ per cent.) will be at the rate of 8/6 in the £.

E.N.V. Engineering.—Interim Ord. dividend of 7½ per cent. (same).

English Velvet and Cord Dyers—No dividend to be paid for the half-year ended June 30th, 1940, on the 5 per cent. Cum. Pref. shares until the accounts for the year ending December 31st, 1940, are available.

Gas Light and Coke Co.—Interim Ord. dividend reduced from 2 4-5 per cent. to 2¼ per cent. It will be recalled that the final dividend for 1939 was 1 7-10 per cent., against 2 4-5 per cent., making 4½ per cent. for the year.

Joseph Lucas.—Dividends for period ending August 31, 1940, of 6d. per share on the "A" Pref. and 7.2d. on "B" Preference are announced.

Kaduna Syndicate—Interim increased from 12½ per cent to 16 2-3 per cent.

Linen Thread Co.—Dividend on Ordinary stock maintained at 3 per cent.

Maroc.—Second interim of 10 per cent. (previous year, one interim of 7½ per cent. was followed by a final of 12½ per cent.

Taquah and Abosso—Final dividend of 25 per cent., again making a total of 37½ per cent.

Tilling-Stevens.—Dividend of 10 per cent. for the 15 months to March 31 last. For the previous period of 12 months the payment was 7½ per cent., less tax.

Woolcombers—Interim dividend maintained at 5 per cent.

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN declined 5/- to 10/- per ton for cash and 15/- forward. Standard cash quoted £266 5/- to £266 15/-, three months £266 to £266 5/-, settlement £266 10/-. Sales, 150 tons. ANTIMONY steady. English regulus, spot, 100 per cent., £106 to £107, 90 per cent. ditto £96 to £97; foreign regulus, spot, £95 to £96 per ton.

SEED WHEAT FOR NEXT SEASON

In view of the probable shortage of imported seed wheat, the Department of Agriculture advises farmers to make arrangements during the present harvest to reserve for seed purposes stocks of both winter and spring varieties sufficient to meet their full requirements next season. A very considerable proportion of the area of wheat grown in recent years was sown with home-grown seed with excellent results.

Threshing of this season's crop of wheat will soon be taking place throughout the country. Where it is decided to reserve some of the produce for seed for autumn or early winter sowing, the grain should be spread out on a loft or clean wooden floor and regularly turned for a few weeks. Well-saved grain treated in this manner will give a satisfactory germination.

GALWAY RACE WEEK

GREAT SOUTHERN R
W. H. MORTON, General Manager.

GALWAY RACES
31st JULY & 1st AUGUST
ON TUESDAY, 30th JULY

		Return Fares: 1st Cl.	3rd Cl.
Westland Row dep. 2.30 p.m., Galway arr. 6.30 p.m.	Y. 0 p.m. 11.0 p.m.	30/-	20/-

Reduced Fares from Mullingar and Athlone.
Tickets available for return up to and including 5th August.

WEDNESDAY, 31st JULY—Special Excursion Train, with Dining Car

Westland Row	dep.	7.45 a.m.	22/3	14/9
Amiens Street	"	7.50		
Clonsilla	"	8.10		
Mullingar	"	9.15 a.m.	15/9	10/6
Galway	arr.	11.50		

Tickets available for return on day of issue or following day. Tickets at Fares 30/- First and 20/- Third avail able till 5th August, will also be issued to Galway from Dublin by Special on Wednesday, 31st July.

THURSDAY, 1st AUGUST

Westland Row	dep.	7.10 a.m.	22/3	14/9
Mullingar	dep	8.40 a.m.	15/9	10/6

Tickets available for return on day of issue or following day. Trains return from Galway to Dublin each day at 7.55 p.m.
EXCURSION TICKETS AT REDUCED FARES will be issued to Galway on each race day from Athlone, Loughrea, Limerick, Ballina, Sligo, Westport, Ballinrobe, Castlerea, and Intermediate Stations. Tickets available for return up to Saturday, 3rd August.

TUAM RACES—Friday, 2nd August

Westland Row dep. 7.10 a.m. Returning by Special Train at 6.25 p.m. with Dining Car. Available for return day of issue.	22/3	14/9

Special Train Galway dep. 12 noon, returning from Tuam at 6.25 p.m. Fares: 1st. 4/9; 3rd, 3/2.
Specially Reduced Fares will be issued from Intermediate Stations at which trains stop. For full particulars see Company's Posters.

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On Sale at all Newsagents' and Bookstalls. Head Office: 11 D'Olier street, Dublin, and Branches: 58 Donegall street, Belfast, and 15 Cook street, Cork.

POSSESSION OF FIREARMS

BELFAST MAN PUT BACK FOR SENTENCE

At the Belfast City Commission yesterday, Robert Denis Donaldson, 62 Anderson street, Belfast, was charged with being in possession of firearms on June 4 last. When charged prisoner made no reply.

Donaldson, a labourer, was alleged to have had in his possession a Mills bomb, an automatic Colt pistol, three Webley revolvers, a Lee-Enfield rifle and a quantity of ammunition.

Detective-Sergeant J. Sharkey told of having entered the house of Robert Hanna, grandfather of the accused man, at 62 Anderson street at 7.15 a.m. on June 4. The accused man was asleep in a front bedroom and was the only occupant of the house at the time. The accused man was awakened and brought down to the kitchen.

Witness gave evidence of finding the Mills bomb, Webley revolver and automatic pistol in the gas oven in the scullery. He saw Detective-Constable Porter find the other two revolvers. All the revolvers were fully loaded.

Sergeant Sharkey said that the defendant told him he had no explanation to offer. On seeing Constable Porter in possession of the automatic pistol Donaldson exclaimed: "It is loaded. There is one in the breech. It is dangerous."

Later witness found the rifle (produced), which was rolled up in a window blind. The accused man said: "I take responsibility for everything. The whole stuff is mine, papers and all. Everything that's got. I think that is everything."

Detective-Constable Geoffrey said that at the back of a gas meter he found documents relating to the manufacture of explosives and land mines. Donaldson accepted responsibility for the documents.

Witness said that he had read the accused man portions of the documents. One relating to detonators contained a passage—"The class we use is the commercial." Witness also read him a passage about balloons.

The accused man was found guilty and put back for sentence.

The newly-appointed General Officer Commanding-in-Chief Southern Command, Lieut.-General C. J. E. Auchinleck, C.S.I., C.B., D.S.O., O.B.E., is an Indian Army officer whose regimental service was rendered in the 1st Battalion 1st Punjab Regiment (formerly the 62nd Punjabis), of which he became, in due course, the Commandant.

RECORD CROWDS ARE EXPECTED

CHANCE FOR HOLIDAY-MAKERS TO HAVE A GOOD TIME

THERE are race days and race days, but Galway Races are more than a mere sporting fixture. They are an institution, something which, next to Christmas, marks the most distinctive milestone in the journey of the year. That queer electrification of the atmosphere; that feeling of suppressed excitement; that exhilirating pleasure that is born of anticipation—all these are present in Galway these days, the sure heralds of big events. Race Week is upon us again, just around the corner, and Galway and the West, and tens of thousands out and beyond, are awaiting it in a spirit of tumultous welcome.

Though racing is held on two days only, time has sanctioned the custom of "making a week of it." It is the big annual outing of the West, an occasion for the return of exiles, the gathering of the clans. Even already the trek to the Gaeltacht capital has begun. The "Closed for the Week" signs are being painted. Amusement caterers are working overtime in preparation. King Carnival is about to be enthroned for a whole week's uninterrupted reign.

BROTHERS AND PALS

It is the week in which no one bothers to look at a clock. The days are twenty-four hours long. If there is night at all, it is outside, and no one sees it. Rank and class, enmities, jealousies, all the things that divide us for the rest of the year are swallowed up in the all-pervading spirit of camaraderie. Everyone is your brother and your pal. Strangers do not exist; there are no such things as locked doors.

This is the week in which Galway is really and truly the Citie of the Tribes. Traffic in its ancient, winding streets will move in slow motion. Congestion will be about everywhere. The Rolls Royce will be parked side by side with the donkey cart of Connemara. Beshawled women and men in bauneens will jostle on the crowded pavements with elegantly groomed gentry and jewelled ladies from the big cities.

The Gaway Races hold a place of eminence in the Irish Racing Calendar. All the indications, as far as the coming week is concerned, provide a ready answer to the pessimists who said there would be no Race Week this year. The members of the Racing Committee have worked indefatigably for months past, and have left nothing undone to ensure the complete success of this year's programme. A bigger and better Race Week than ever is what they expect—that is, if one could visualise the possibility of making it a bigger and better occasion. Though there will inevitably be a falling-off in attendance, as far as cross-Channel patrons are concerned, a record crowd is expected this year. All over Ireland more and more people are taking their holidays specially "for the races." Holidays outside of Ireland are out of the question this year. Galway is the obvious place in which to spend them. The falling-off in cross-Channel visitors will be more than compensated for by the increase in the number from within our shores who will be present.

WHAT IT MEANS TO GALWAY

It is not possible to estimate what Race Week really means to Galway commercially and in many other ways. Racing in Galway is not a business affair. It is run purely for the love of the sport and for the benefit of the town. All profits from the fixture are put back in the business, so to speak, and year after year improvements to the course at Ballybrit are being carried out. The course is now one of the finest in the land. On race days the enclosure presents all the appearance of a little town. Every possible need of the patron is fully catered for, and impressions of the general scene there on either of the two days of racing are not easily forgotten. Here you can view the entire race in comfort. As far as steeplechasing goes, the course is purely natural, with no easing whatever for the horses. The fences are stiff, but not too difficult, and there is a fine level run into each of them.

Some of the greatest names known to racing are associated with the Galway fixture. Back in 1869 Captain St. Lawrence, eldest son of the Earl of Howth, organised the first Galway Races. He was first cousin to Christopher St. George, of Tyrone House, the same who bred and owned the famous sires Solon and Chanticleer, who have left their mark on Irish racing stock since then. The races were originally held at Kiltulla, and in 1869 the Ballybrit course was laid out. It is interesting to recall that in 1868 severe flooding prevented the holding of the fixture at Kiltulla, and the programme was run off at Bushfield, on the road from Oranmore to Athenry, in a field lent for the occasion by Mr. Kerin, of Oranmore, the father of Mr. C. J. Kerin, one of the most energetic members of the present committee, and one of the best-known sportsmen in the West.

FAMOUS RUNNERS

Many of the most famous products of racing have competed at Galway. Looking back over the programmes, the eye catches such names as Drogheda, who won the Hurdle and afterwards triumphed at Aintree; Workman, who, after being unplaced at Galway, went on to win the Grand National; Shaun Spadah, Cloister and other Grand National winners; Tipperary Boy, who won the Plate three times; East Galway, who won it twice and was second in between; Clonsheevra, with a similar record, and many others.

This year the entries are well up to standard. Over 350 horses are competing, many of them associated with personalities famous in the racing world. The course is in excellent order, and all that is needed to make another great Race Week complete is a friendly gesture on the part of the Weather Clerk.

The Committee responsible for all arrangements in connection with the event are:—Chairman, Mr. J. S. Young; Secretary, Mr. J. Gavin; and Messrs. C. J. Kerin, T. McDermott-Kelly, J. O'Sullivan, M. T. Donnellan, Alderman J. F. Costello, Mayor of Galway; Dr. Comyn, Loughrea; Dr. D. V. Morris, Dr. McDonagh.

GALWAY TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS

ROUTE TO AND FROM RACECOURSE

1. TO GRAND STAND ENCLOSURE FROM:—
(a) GALWAY—via Bohermore and Killeen Junction, at which turn to the right. Route A-B-C-D on map.
(b) MONIVEA AND ORANMORE—via Carnmore Cross and Briarhill Junction (E on map), at which turn to the right.
(c) CLAREGALWAY AND TUAM—via Tuam road to Killeen Junction (D on map), at which turn to the left.

2. FROM GRAND STAND ENCLOSURE TO:—
(a) GALWAY—via Killeen Junction, New Cemetery Cross Ballinfoyle Cross to Woodquay. Route D-C-B-A-K on map.
(b) MONIVEA AND ORANMORE—via Briarhill Junction (E on map) and Carnmore Cross (road to Monivea).
(c) CLAREGALWAY AND TUAM—via Killeen Junction (D on map), at which turn to the right.

3. TO GENERAL ENTRANCE FROM:—
(a) GALWAY—via Bohermore, New Cemetery Cross, Monceenageesha Cross and Ballybane. Route A-J-I-H-G on map.
(b) MONIVEA AND ORANMORE—via Briarhill Junction and New Loop road. Route E-F-G on map.
(c) CLAREGALWAY AND TUAM—via Tuam road, Glennanil Junction and Ballybane. Route D-C-B-I-H-G.

4. FROM GENERAL ENTRANCE TO:—
(a) GALWAY—via Loop road Junction East, Monceenageesha Cross and COLLEGE ROAD.
(b) MONIVEA AND ORANMORE—via Loop Route F-G-H-I-J and College road, road Junction East, Briarhill Junction and Carnmore Cross (road to Monivea F-E on map).
(c) CLAREGALWAY AND TUAM—Same route as that for Monivea and Oranmore.

Vehicles from Dublin, Limerick, etc., will travel by Monivea or Oranmore, whence they will be diverted to Carnmore Cross en route to Briarhill Junction. Motorists however, who desire to enter Galway City before proceeding to racecourse may take the direct route from Oranmore to City, entering at Monceenageesha Cross (J.) by College road or Lough Atalia road.

To avoid delay, parking tickets should be purchased before leaving for course. Obtainable from day previous to races at Race Office, Eyre street, Galway; Eglinton Hotel, Salthill; Holland's, Williamsgate street; Great Southern Hotel, Imperial Hotel, Royal, County Club, Galway Golf Links, Oranmore and Twomilleditch.

Vehicles travelling from County Mayo, etc., via Headford road, must enter city, as road X to A will be closed to traffic from X.

CITY TRAFFIC ROUTES.

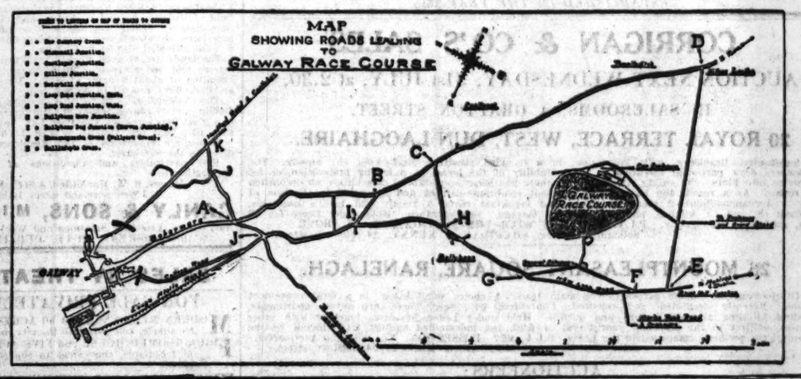
1. TO EYRE SQUARE FROM:—
(a) SALTHILL, TAYLOR'S HILL, SHANTALLOW, etc.—via Salthill, Lr. Salthill, Nile Lodge Cross, New Line, Newcastle road, University road, Salmon Weir Bridge, St. Vincent's ave., Wood quay and Eyre street.
(b) HEADFORD—via Wood quay and Eyre street.
(c) OUGHTERARD—via University road, Salmon Weir Bridge, St. Vincent's ave., Wood quay and Eyre street.

2. FROM EYRE SQUARE TO:—
(a) SALTHILL, TAYLOR'S HILL, SHANTALLOW, etc.—via Williamsgate street, Shop street, Mainguard street, Bridge street, O'Brien's Bridge, Lower Dominick street, whence branch off as desired.
(b) HEADFORD—via Williamsgate street, Eglinton street, St. Francis street, St. Vincent's ave., Wood quay and Headford road.
(c) OUGHTERARD—via Williamsgate street, Eglinton street, St. Francis street, St. Vincent's ave., Salmon Weir Bridge and University road.

3. PARKING PLACES.
College road, Lough Atalia road, New Docks, Middle street, St. Augustine street, Eyre square, Wood quay, Courthouse square, Fishmarket, Gratan road, Lombard street, Mill street, Presentation road, Henry street, Salthill.

4. OMNIBUSES.
To Salthill:—
Eyre square (Skeffington Arms side), Williamsgate street, Shop street, O'Brien's Bridge, Lower Dominick street, and Father Griffin road, Father Griffin avenue, Crescent, Nile Lodge Cross, and Lower Salthill, etc.
From Salthill:—
Salthill (between Rockland Hotel and Eglinton Hotel), Lower Salthill, Nile Lodge Cross, Crescent, Father Griffin avenue, Father Griffin road, Wolfe Tone Bridge, Fishmarket, Flood street, Merchants road and Victoria place.
N.B.—Omnibuses for race course obtainable at Eyre square, opposite Bailey's Hotel side.

5. GENERAL.
All regulations remain in force from 9 a.m. on Wednesday, 31st July, to midnight on Thursday, 1st August, 1940.



GALWAY
STEEPLECHASE FLAT AND HURDLE RACES
OVER THE BALLYBRIT COURSE
Wednesday & Thursday, July 31st & August 1st.
350 ENTRIES : STAKES £2,500.
FEATURE RACES:
1st DAY GALWAY PLATE £1,020, 30 Entries
(and five other races)
2nd DAY GALWAY HURDLE £510, 50 Entries
(and five other races)
Car Tickets for Motor Enclosure will be on Sale on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Principal Hotels in Galway, Salthill and in Oranmore.

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BRAY DISTRICT COURT

ARSON CHARGE

"DIFFICULT AND TEDIOUS CASE"

(BEFORE MR. LIAM PRICE.)

John J. Doyle, described as a contractor, of Harold's Cross road, Dublin, was at Bray District Court yesterday charged on remand with setting fire to a house at Scourlough Lane, County Wicklow, on the 25th or 26th of April last, with intent to defaud, and also with contracting with a party [illegible] present unknown to set fire to the house.

Mr. A. B. Cullen, State Solicitor, Wicklow, said that this would be a rather difficult and tedious case. It involved a charge against Doyle of endeavouring to obtain by fraud the sum of £1,100, and with setting fire to a dwellinghouse. Subject to what the Justice might think, he asked that a further remand might be granted, but he would require substantial bail, Doyle in £500, and two sureties of £250.

The bails were forthcoming, and Mr. Justice Price remanded Doyle to Blessington District Court on September 9th.

Mr. D. F. Morris, solicitor, defended.

FUNERAL OF MR. J. C. RUDDOCK

The funeral of Mr. James Charles Ruddock, "The Rest," Camden row, Dublin, took place to Mount Jerome Cemetery yesterday morning. The Rev. V. Walker, Irishtown, officiated.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. Harriet Ruddock (widow), M. Wingard (son-in-law), Miss Betty Wingard (grand-daughter), H. W. Ruddock, S. McLaughlin, R. Jones (nephews), and Miss S. Jones (niece).

The attendances also included:—H. D. Freeman, R. Holmes, Graham Leslie, Peter Stuart, E. Sadler, J. Colclough, J. Hayes, Mrs. Hayes, James Byrd, J. M. McCarthy, George F. Hanley, E. T. Taafe, F. O'Brien, George T. Ferguson, R. Long, and J. M. Entwistle.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 1940.

AUCTIONS.

THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., LTD.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.

FURNITURE AUCTION,

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST, at 12 o'clock, at

328 HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD.

HAVING SOLD THE HOUSE, WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL THE FURNITURE,

Including Chesterfield and 2 Easy Chairs, Mahog. and Walnut Occasional Chairs, 6 Mahog.-framed Drawingroom Chairs, Walnut Overmantel Mirrors, Brass Curbs and Brasses, miscl. lot of Ornaments, Pictures, China and Glass Ware, Mahog. Screw Expanding Dining Table, Walnut Mirror-back Sideboard, 6 Mahog.-framed Dining Chairs, with 2 Carvers to match; Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpets, Rugs and Linoleum, Mahog. Hallstand, Brass-mounted Double and Single Iron Bedsteads, Hair and Fibre Mattresses, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Stained Walnut Single Wardrobe and Dressing Table, Mahog. Chest of Drawers, Bedroom Ware, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Lawn Mower, Step Ladder, and about 1½ Tons of Coal.

On View Morning of Sale, 10 to 12 o'clock. Delivery immediately after Sale.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 8th AUGUST,

At 1.15, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's Street,

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT, MUST BE SOLD,

46 SOUTH RICHMOND STREET.

PROFIT RENT OF £87 13s. PER ANNUM.

The premises consist of Shop and 2 Flats overhead.

The Shop is let at £156 per an.; the Flat on the first floor is vacant; the other on the second floor is let at 15/- per week, showing a gross estimated income of £247 per an., which, after deducting head rent and rates, shows a net profit rent of £87 13s. per an.

The premises are held under Lease dated 11th Feb., 1930, for the term of 25 years from 1st January, 1930, subject to £100, over and above all rates and taxes.

Messrs. STEWART & ORR, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, Chambers, 7 Pearse Street, Dublin.

17 WARRINGTON PLACE,

CLOSE TO MOUNT STREET BRIDGE.

Soundly-built house, in convenient position; 3 storeys over garden level. Accommodation: 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, bathroom with h. and c. supply, wash basin, separate lavatory, tiled kitchen, breakfast room, scullery and pantry; yard and coal house, garden, garage with loft over; electric light.

The garage is let on a weekly tenancy at 7/6 per week.

IDEAL AS A PRIVATE RESIDENCE OR BOARDING-HOUSE.

Held for 150 years from 29th Sept., 1831, subject to £6 5s. 0d. per an. P.L.V. £34.

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Messrs. WM. J. SHANNON & CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 19 Upper Ormond Quay.

GILT-EDGE INVESTMENT.

PROFIT RENT OF £75 14s. 6d. PER ANNUM,

Issuing out of Lands and Premises situate partly on the North and South side of THE SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD, DOLPHIN'S BARN, and partly on the South side of the Grand Canal, all in the Parish of St. Catherine and City of Dublin, and containing, in the whole 17 acres 2 roods 26 perches, Statute Measure, or thereabouts. Held under an Indenture of Lease dated 24th day of March, 1885, for a term of 900 years from the 29th day of September, 1884, at the yearly rent of £105.

THE GROSS RENT OF £180 14s. 6d., comprising 16 collections, arises out of a Plot of Ground, consisting of 6 ACRES 3 ROODS 9 PERCHES, ON WHICH THE IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND STANDS; also 153 to 167 (odd numbers) S.C. ROAD, Nos. 1 TO 12 ST. ANNE'S ROAD, OFF S.C. ROAD, and Nos. 16 to 21 LULLYMORE TERRACE, GRAND CANAL, and Plot of Ground on South side of Grand Canal, containing 8 ACRES 3 ROODS 21 PERCHES, STATUTE.

Deducting the Head Rent of £105 shows a net profit of £75 14s. 6d., which is secured by A TOTAL POOR LAW VALUATION of £2,988, OF WHICH £2,400 IS THE P.L.V. OF THE IMPERIAL TOBACCO CO.

Messrs. JOHN T. DOYLE & CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 58 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin.

FREEHOLD.

HOLLYVILLE, PALMERSTOWN,

MAIN LUCAN ROAD, CO. DUBLIN.

Detached double-fronted, two-storey, non-basement house, on the Main Lucan road, with excellent 'bus service; standing on approximately over half an acre.

Accommodation comprises:—Large drawingroom, with conservatory off; diningroom, four bedrooms, boxroom, bathroom, wash basin and lavatory combined, kitchen with close range, scullery, large pantry, hot press; electric light and power; well-stocked fruit and vegetable garden; space for garage. The entire walls of the house are compoed. The residence is situate about five miles from the G.P.O., and should appeal to those who like a detached residence with a nice garden adjacent to the city.

Clear possession to purchaser.

Held in fee-simple. The outgoings are practically nil.

Seen on Order to View from the Auctioneers.

Messrs. LITTLE & CULLEN, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 64 Dawson Street, Dublin.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

15 HOLLYBANK AVENUE, SANDFORD ROAD.

A modern non-basement, brick-built house, in a quiet residential district, convenient to all services.

Accommodation:—2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom (hot and cold), lavatory, electric light and power; coal house, garden front and rear.

Held for 999 years from the 1st July, 1906, subject to £4 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V. £18.

Vacant possession to purchaser. Seen by appointment only with the Auctioneers.

ALFRED E. WALKER, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 1 College Street, Dublin.

1 MAXWELL ROAD, RATHGAR.

Semi-detached, pre-war, brick-built, non-basement house.

Accommodation:—2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen with Ideal Boiler, gas stove, bathroom (hot and cold water), pantry, scullery with gas geyser, electric light, power and gas; garden front and rear; private rear entrance.

Held for 389 years unexpired, subject to £10 per annum. P.L.V. £26.

£485 can remain out under the Small Dwellings Act, repayments over 14 years at £51 per annum, including principal and interest.

Clear possession to purchaser.

Messrs. TAYLOR, SON & ROBINSON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 13 St. Andrew Street, Dublin.

AUCTION, FRIDAY, 9th AUGUST,

HOUSE AND FURNITURE,

ON THE PREMISES AT 12 O'CLOCK AT

85 GROSVENOR SQUARE, RATHMINES.

A non-basement, pre-war brick house, situate in a very convenient position, enjoying all services and close to city.

Accommodation:—2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom (hot and cold), wash basin and lavatory, tiled kitchen, pantry, wash-house, electric light and power, also gas; outside lavatory, good garden and large garage.

Held for 900 years from the 15th August, 1882, subject to £9 per annum, but indemnified against £4 10s. 0d., thereof by the premises 84 Grosvenor Square.

The House will be Sold at 12 o'clock, and the Furniture immediately afterwards.

Seen by arrangement with the Auctioneers.

Messrs. JAMES W. LANE & CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 11 St. Stephen's Green, North, Dublin, C 2.

ANTIQUE AND HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, DECORATIVE CHINA AND GLASS,

INCLUDING:—German Upright Piano in ebonised case, iron frame; Brunswick Console Wireless Set in Mahogany Case; Chesterfield Suite in silk tapestry, with claw and ball feet; French China Cabinet with painted panels and gilt metal mounts, French Boudoir Table with gilt metal mounts, French Inlaid Shaped-front Commode with gilt mounts, Inlaid Mahogany Side Table, Chippendale pattern; Chippendale pattern Slope-front Bureau Bookcase on claw and ball feet; 4 Mahog. Drawingroom Chairs, Mahog. Drawingroom Tables, Nest of Oak Trio Tables, French Gilt Clock with porcelain panels, Mantel Clock in Mahog. Case, Austrian Wall Clock; 2 Oval Mirrors in rich gilt frames, Oxidised and other Mirrors; Lacquered Bow-front Sideboard on claw and ball feet; Chippendale pattern Mahog. Draw-leaf Dining Table, Lacquered 3-tier Waiter, 6 Oak-frame Diningroom Chairs, Continental Tea Sets, Decorative China and Glass, Axminster Carpets, Stair Carpeting and Rugs, Lionleum, Chromium-plated and Copper Fenders; Pair of Mahog. Twin Beds, Walnut Double Bed, Inlaid Mahog. Single Bed, Highly Manufactured Mahog. Bedroom Suite, do. Mahog., Walnut and Oak Bedroom Suites; Hair Mattresses, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Maid's Room Furniture, Wringer, etc.

On View Thursday, 8th August, from 10 to 5 p.m. Admission to View and Sale, 1/-.

IMPORTANT SALE.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 14th and 15th AUGUST,

At 12 Noon.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY MR. S. MORRIS (WHO FOR THE PAST 24 YEARS HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AS JEWELLER AND ANTIQUE DEALER, AND IS NOW RETIRING FROM BUSINESS) TO SELL

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at

ENGINEERS' HALL, 35 DAWSON STREET,

THE LEASEHOLD INTEREST, GOODWILL AND FITTINGS in respect of the Premises 34 Exchequer street, and also to dispose of by unreserved Sale his entire Valuable Stock of approx. 3,000 ounces OLD IRISH AND ANTIQUE SILVER, SHEFFIELD PLATE, WATERFORD GLASS, SHOW-CASES, GLASS-TOP COUNTERS, FIREPROOF SAFE.

Including:—SILVER: George III. Pierced Centrepiece, 1773 (London), Georgian 3-Piece Tea Service (Dublin), Georgian Tankard (London), Early Victorian Tea and Coffee Services, 80 ozs.; Georgian Silver Cups, 1775 (Cork), Georgian Coffee Pots, 1770 (Dublin), 4 William Salt Cellars, 1831; George III. 2-Handle Cup (Dublin), Pair of Georgian Candlesticks (London), 2 George III. Muffiniers, Old Georgian Pierced Baskets, George III. Cruet Set (London), George III. Teapot (London), George III. Fruit Knives, do. Sugar Basins and Cream Jugs, Old Georgian Pap Boat, Sauce Boat, 1775; Georgian Mustards, Salts, Ladles, Old Georgian Trays and Racks, Georgian II. Marrow Spoons, Dessert and Tea Spoons, Old Irish and Modern Tea Services, Silver Caskets, do. Salvers do. Cups and Rose Bowls, do. Kettles, Wine Coolers, Cigarette Boxes, Silver Jug and 2 Goblets, Set of 6 Silver Candlesticks, 2 Pairs of Silver Candlesticks, 2 Pairs of Heart-shaped Candelabra, Silver Gilt Fruit Spoons, Set of 4 Old French Vases with blue glass linings.

OLD SHEFFIELD AND PLATED WARE, including Sheffield Tea and Coffee Services, Old Sheffield Trays, Old Sheffield Soup Toureen, Hot Water Jugs, Kettles, Stands and Lamps, Pairs of Old Sheffield Candelabras, Sets of 4 Old Entrée Dishes and Covers, Silver Scales and Weights.

WATERFORD GLASS—Pair of Diamond Cut Waterford Glass Jugs, 4 Diamond Cut do., Diamond Cut Celery and Salad Bowls, Small Waterford Glass Sugar Basin, Old Sheffield Centrepiece with Waterford Glass Dishes, Waterford Glass Finger Bowls, Pearls, Glass-Top Counter and other Showcases, Display Cabinet, Fireproof Safe, etc., etc.

On View Tuesday from 10 to 5 o'clock. Catalogues now in course of preparation, Price 1/6 each, admitting to View and Sale.

The Premises 34 Exchequer street consist of a Lock-up Shop and are held for 21 years from the 21st October, 1930, subject to £100 per annum over and above rates and taxes.

The Assignment to the purchaser of the Leasehold Interest will be subject to the approval of the Landlord.

The Leasehold interest will be be offered for Sale at the Engineers' Hall at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, 14th August. The Sale of the Stock will take place immediately afterwards.

VICTOR ELYAN, Esq., B.A., LL.B., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 77 Dame Street, Dublin.

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AUCTION OF HAY.

PHOENIX PARK RACECOURSE, ASHTOWN, DUBLIN.

On NEXT FRIDAY, 2nd AUGUST, 1940, at 7 p.m.

140 LARGE COCKS OF PRIME OLD MEADOW HAY (in convenients Lots).

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AT 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,

EVERY THURSDAY.

Entries are invited, and should be made by previous Tuesday.

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AUCTIONS.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS" OF FURNITURE AND PROPERTY.

TUESDAY NEXT, 30th JULY, at 12 o'c.,

"SPRINGFIELD HOUSE," BLACKHORSE AVE., CABRA.

ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE, ROSEWOOD CASED 88 NOTE PLAYER PIANO, CHIPPENDALE HALL TABLE AND DININGROOM CHAIRS, WATERFORD GLASS, Etc.

BATTERSBY & CO., HAVING SOLD THE PROPERTY, are now further favoured with instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, the Entire Valuable Antique Furniture and Effects, comprising briefly as follows:—Rosewood-cased 88-note Player Piano (by Kuke and Klatt, Berlin) and Music Rolls, Violin (by Duke, London), Red Boule Card Table and Mantel Clock, Chippendale Gilt-framed and other Mirrors, Divan and Cheek Chairs; Walnut, Mahogany, Oval and Occasional Tables; Georgian Mahogany Lattice-front and other Cabinets; Mahogany Bookcases and Secretaires, Antique Pierced Brass Fenders and Brasses, Mahogany Coal Vases, Mahogany Dining Table, six Chippendale Mahogany Dining Chairs, six Mahogany-framed Chairs, Sheraton Cellarette Sideboard, Mahogany Chiffoniers and small Sideboards, Lace Curtains, Axminster Room and Stair Carpeting. ORNAMENTAL CHINA—Dresden, Oriental, Famille Rose and Famille Vergt China. BEDROOM FURNITURE—Mahogany and Mirror-door Wardrobes, Duchess Mahogany Pairs and Chest of Drawers, Mahogany Toilet Tables and Toilet Glasses, Invalid Wheel Chair Brass and Iron Beds and Bedding; Chippendale Mahogany Hall Table, Mahogany Hall Chairs, Sheraton Mahogany Long-cased Hall Clock (Segrave and Sons, Dublin), Mahogany ditto (W. Hug, Dublin), Inlaid Rosewood-cased Barometer; small library of Books; Moffatt Fireproof and Thiefproof Safe (32", 24", 22"); Waterford and other Glass, Sheffield and Plated Ware, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, OUTDOOR EFFECTS—Garden Seats and Vases, Ornamental Railings, Sweep's Machine Wheelbarrows.

On View day previous, 10 to 5 o'clock. Admission to View and Sale by ticket, 1/-. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

FRIDAY NEXT, 2nd AUGUST, at 12 o'c.,

15 MAY STREET, DRUMCONDRA PARK.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND PIANO,

Comprising briefly as follows:—Rosewood Case Piano (Crane and Sons), Mahogany Piano Seat, Rosewood Oval Table, Mahogany Case Small Organ (10 stops), "Columbia" Oak Case Gramaphone and about 260 Records, Mahogany Occasional Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany Overmantel, Mahogany Bookcase Top, Rosewood Chiffonier, 6-Piece Walnut Suite, 8 Mahogany Diningroom Chairs, Axminster Carpets and Rugs, Brass Fenders, Ornamental China, Pictures, Oak Bedroom Suite, Birch Wardrobe and Chest of Drawers, Mahogany Bed, Mahogany Hall Stand and 2 Chairs, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Table Glass and China, etc.

On View morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

THURSDAY, 8th AUGUST, at 2.30 p.m.,

AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF)

5 CASIMIR ROAD, HAROLD'S CROSS.

ATTRACTIVE, SEMI-DETACHED, PRE-WAR, NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE. POSSESSION. Nicely situated; good order and well equipped with electric and power, also gas. Contains:—2 reception rooms (folding doors), 3 bedrooms, bath and wash basin (h. and c.), kitchen (patent range), kitchenette. Nice garden front and rear, side entrance. Garage.

Lease about 900 years at £5 5s. 0d. per an. P.L.V. £25. Key at No. 28 Westfield road. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or

CROWLEY, BOLGER & CUSACK, Solicitors, 3/4 Lower O'Connell street.

MONDAY, 12th AUGUST, at 12 Noon,

At "ST. JOSEPH'S," CLONDALKIN

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

ATTRACTIVE FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD PROPERTY NEAR CLONDALKIN.

RESIDENCE AND 96a. 0r. 5p. (STATUTE). IN 3 OR 4 LOTS. Also Growing Crops (Wheat, Oats, Barley and Potatoes), Live Stock, Agricultural Machinery, Hay (in rick), Horses, Carts, Harness, Poultry, etc. The property is conveniently placed, close to Village of Clondalkin and within five miles of City, and consists of FOUR COMPACT HOLDINGS, which will be offered as follows:—

LOT 1—THE COMMODIOUS STONE-BUILT RESIDENCE, non-basement, and various other buildings and extensions suitable for School, Convalescent Home or Institution. Extensive farm buildings and out-offices, fruit and vegetable gardens, pleasure grounds. Situate on 11 acres 2 roods 18 perches. Electric light is laid on. Lease for 999 years from 1865, subject to £33 3s. 6d. per annum. P.L.V. on buildings £56 10s. 0d. and on lands £18 10s. 0d.

LOT 2—42 ACRES 0 ROODS 19 PERCHES (adjoining Lot 1). Held subject to an Annuity of £20 16s. 8d. (redeemable at low price). P.L.V. £57 15s. 0d. This Lot has valuable building potentialities, with extensive frontages to the main roads. On this Lot there are approximately 4 acres of oats (a fine, healthy crop of good promise), which can be taken over by the purchaser at a Valuation to be made by the Auctioneers, or otherwise will be sold separately.

LOT 3—22 ACRES 2 ROODS 26 PERCHES, on main Dublin-Naas road at Redcow, about one mile from Clondalkin, with good building frontages. In three divisions, well fenced. Good land, suitable for tillage or grazing. Held subject to Land Commission Annuity of £11 17s. 6d. P.L.V. £32. On this Lot there are approximately 2 acres wheat (imported Ironstone Red), 4½ acres barley, and potatoes, which the purchaser will have the option of taking over at a Valuation to be made by the Auctioneers. Otherwise they will be sold separately.

LOT 4—19 ACRES 2 ROODS 22 PERCHES at "Gibraltar" and "Buck and Hounds" on main Dublin-Naas road. Held partly in Fee-Simple, free of rent, except the following:—(a) 3a. 2r. 16p. subject to Land Commission Annuity of £1 7s. 6d.; (b) 1a. 2r. 20p. subject to Land Commission Annuity of £1 10s. 2d. The total P.L.V. of this Lot is £26 5s. 0d. This Lot is first quality grazing land and is let up to 31st October next, and will be sold subject to the letting.

Further particulars, Orders to View and Conditions of Sale from AUCTIONEERS; or

Messrs. E. & G. STAPLETON, Solicitors, 29 Molesworth street.

AND AT 2 P.M. ON THE SAME DATE WILL BE SOLD THE LIVE-STOCK, POULTRY, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY AND IMPLEMENTS, CROPS, etc.,

which comprise briefly:—"Pierce" Mowing Machine, do. Hay Rake, "Hornsby" Reaper and Binder, 4 Farm Carts, Field Roller, Ploughs, Harrows, Trap, Donkey Cart, Quantity of Harness, Farm and Garden Tools, Wheelbarrows, Dairy Utensils, Rotary Churn. LIVE STOCK: 1 Milch Cow, 2 Calves, 1 Donkey, 2 Farm Horses; about 40 head Fowl (Rhode Island and Leghorns, etc.). About 40 Tons First Crop Hay (in rick). GROWING CROPS: Barley, Wheat, Oats, Potatoes, Pit of Farmyard Manure, etc.

AND ON

TUESDAY, 13th AUGUST, AND FOLLOWING DAY, at 12 Noon, THE SCHOOL FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT, LIBRARY OF BOOKS, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, GARDEN EFFECTS, ETC.,

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AUCTION NEXT WEDNESDAY, 31st JULY, at 2.30,

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Substantial Residence, with Possession, in a secluded situation overlooking the Square. The Auctioneers draw particular attention to the suitability of the house as a letting proposition, or for conversion into Flats. No outlay is required, as there has been a substantial expenditure on decoration and repair. As a result, the house is in excellent condition—painted and decorated in the best of taste. Accommodation:—2 reception rooms and breakfast room 4 family and maid's bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), kitchen, pantries. Garden, Garage. Side entrance. Held under Lease for 99 years, subject to £20 yearly. P.L.V. £33. KEY WITH THE AUCTIONEERS, AS ABOVE.

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Overlooking the Square across to the main road. A choice small house, in a most convenient position. Recently decorated and repaired. Convenient 2d. 'bus. There are seven apartments, including kitchen; also small yard and garden. Held under Lease for ever, together with other premises, subject to the perpetual yearly rent of £20, but indemnified against £10 thereof by the residue of the premises comprised in the Lease, P.L.V. £22. POSSESSION. Key with the Auctioneers.

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CORRIGAN & CO., 4 GRAFTON STREET.

CHERRYFIELD, TEMPLEOGUE

(3 MILES FROM DUBLIN).

IMPORTANT SALE OF HOUSE AND LANDS.

WE have been instructed by the Executors of the late William Harrington, Esq., to SELL ABOVE VALUABLE PROPERTY

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT 37 PRUSSIA ST., DUBLIN,

On NEXT MONDAY, 29th JULY, at 12 o'clock Noon.

PARTICULARS.

The property contains 85 acres 2 roods 16 perches statute measure, or thereabouts, and is subject to Land Purchase Annuity of £67 15s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation on Land £125 and on Buildings £29.

The lands are of excellent quality and all under grass; portion is leased to the Leinster Hockey Union for sports grounds at an annual rent of £80, and other portions were let this season for grazing purposes at rents totalling £105. In addition the rents received for grazing lettings for present year amount to £218 10s. 0d., and for two cottages on the land (not including gate lodge) the sum of £40 5s. 9d., making a total income of £443 15s. 9d.

The dwellinghouse, which is very nicely situated, with a southern aspect, overlooks the Dublin Mountains, and is approached by an avenue with gate lodge entrance, and contains 3 reception rooms, 8 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c. (Vartry water); dairy, store room, pantries, etc. Well-kept walled-in flower and vegetable garden, conservatory.

The out-offices include stabling, cow houses garage, etc.

The property is bounded on the north side by the Dodder River. A supply of Vartry water is also laid on to other portions of the land for stock, as well as to dwellinghouse.

For Conditions of Sale apply to ARTHUR COX, Esq., 42 Stephen's Green, Dublin, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale; or

CRAIGIE BROS., M.I.A.A.,

37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

TOBER, DUNLAVIN, CO. WICKLOW.

GRAZING FARM FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY,

FOR EXECUTORS OF THE LATE WM. HARRINGTON, Esq.

PARTICULARS.

The Property contains 271 acres 2 roods 35 perches statute measure, subject to Land Purchase Annuity of £70 13s. 10d. Poor Law Valuation £276 [illegible] 0d.

The lands are all under grass, the majority of it being of prime quality; they are well watered and fenced and conveniently situated about 1 mile from the village of Dunlavin.

There is a herd's house on the property in good repair.

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BALBRIGGAN, CO. DUBLIN	168 do.	,, Herd's House.
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AUCTIONS.

BAGOT ESTATE.

CURRAGHMORE HOUSE, ATHLEAGUE, ROSCOMMON.

AUCTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS

AT CURRAGHMORE.

On THURSDAY, AUGUST 8th, At 11 o'c. (S.T.).

The undersigned has been favoured with instructions from the owners, to sell at above address the entire Antique and Modern Furnishings and Outdoor Effects, including:—

Carved Oak Hall-stand and Chair, 2 Alabaster Ornaments, Set of Hunting and Coursing Prints, Original Painting of John Dennis, Large Double Chippendale China Cabinet, 1 Old Sheraton ditto, 2 Empire Gilt Brackets, 2 Empire Gilt Cornices, 3 Porcelain Hand-painted Pictures, Large Overmantle, 2 Large Engravings—Trial of Charles; Painting "Offering of the Doves," after Goodall; Rosewood Glass Case, 5' 9" x 4' 2", with collection of Australian birds; Pair of Genuine Indian Vases (24"), Large Chippendale Wall Mirror, Large Rosewood Antique Work Table (claw legs), Rosewood and Ebony Chairs; Victorian Spring-seated Mahogany Settee, 15' 6" x 2', Beautiful Large Hand-painted Screen, Large Brass Log Chest, Large Axminster and Turkish Carpets, 90' Axminster Stair Carpet, Genuine Heavy Turkish Carpet, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Antique Grandfather Clock, Curtains and Poles, Antique Overmantle, Old Gold Worcester Tea Service, Wedgewood Fruit Dishes, Antique Plates, Quantity of Waterford Cut Glass, Dresden Vases, Quantity of Heavy Sheffield Plate, Carved Chippendale Mirror, Painting, "Nell Gwynn," after Peter Lily; Brass-mounted Oak Plate Bucket, Ebony Armchairs, Inlaid Sheraton Writing Desk, Antique Carved and Mounted Piano Stool, Square Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Antique Bureau, 3-Piece Claw-leg Mahogany Table, 9' 6" x 5' 6"; Bronze Figured Clock, Bronze Statuettes, Mahogany Side Tables, Brass Suspension Lamp, 2 Brass Standard Lamps, Large Light-oaked Mirrored Sideboard, Light Oak Dining Chairs and Carvers, Genuine Engraving of Greyhound, "King Cob" (1781), Large Painting of "Modesty and Vanity," after Leonardo de Vinci; a Number of Wireless Sets.

Furnishings of 5 bedrooms include:—Mahogany and Oak Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers, Dressing Tables, Large Mahogany Mirrors, Beds and Bedding, Toilet Sets, Good Kitchen Stove, etc.

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Auctioneer and Valuer,

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CRAIGIE BROS.,

37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

COUNTY WICKLOW.

MUNDUFF HOUSE AND LANDS.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, by instructions of the Irish Land Commission, under their Conditions of Sale, on MONDAY, the 19th day of AUGUST, 1940, at MUNDUFF HOUSE, by MESSRS. CLARKE, BYRNE and CO., Auctioneers, Wicklow, at the hour of 2.30 o'clock p.m. (Summer Time).

TENURE AND DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

ALL THAT AND THOSE part of the lands of Munduff, containing 29 acres and 30 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure with the dwelling-house and out-offices thereon, known as Munduff House situate in the Barony of Newcastle and County of Wicklow, held in Fee-Simple.

The Land Commission will make an advance of £664 0s. 0d. for the purchase of the fee-simple of the property, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Purchase Acts, repayable by an Annuity of £31 10s. 10d., as by the Land Act, 1923, is provided. Pursuant to the provisions of the Land Acts, the amount payable by the purchaser in respect of the said Annuity shall be £15 15s. 5d. in each year the balance of the purchase money—namely, the price bid at the Auction—is to be paid in cash. The property will be sold subject to said Advance and Annuity.

Munduff House is picturesquely situated, overlooking the Vartry River, about one mile west of the village of Ashford, three miles from Rathnew, the nearest railway station, five miles north-west of Wicklow town and railway station, and a similar distance from the sea.

It is a handsome two-storey residence, containing sittingroom, drawingroom diningroom, breakfast room reading room, seven bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, scullery and pantry.

The out-offices comprise caretaker's house, double cottage for two workmen, eight loose boxes, stall feeding and open housing accommodation for sixty cattle, garage, store house, coal house, and hay loft with thirty tons capacity.

Water is supplied from a well on the lands.

The accommodation land contains some 16 acres of light tillage or grazing land. The remainder is rough grazing, plantations and waste.

The Poor Law Valuation of the buildings is £30 0s. 0d. and of the lands £18 10s. 0d.

Purchaser to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to:—

THE AUCTIONEERS; or to W. J. O'REILLY, Solicitor to the Irish Land Commission, 21 Upper Merrion street, Dublin.

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The holding comprises an attractive Residence of the Bungalow type, with entrance hall, sittingroom, 4 bedrooms, kitchen pantry, bathroom, electric light, telephone, h. and c. water, and all modern conveniences. There are adequate out-offices and hay barn situated away from the residence, and a well-cultivated garden. Garage.

The lands are of good quality, well watered and fenced, and are at present under grass, with the exception of about 6 acres of corn. The residence and out-offices are all in perfect repair.

The holding is situated about 5 miles from Dublin, and is convenient to St. Margarets. There is a good 'bus service. The Poor Law Valuation is £44 10/, and the Annuity is £18 15/8.

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AUCTIONS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TUESDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m.,

5 CLARE STREET.

Substantially built house, standing four storeys over basement, having open rear and stable premises, off Lincoln place. Frontage to Clare street, about 22 feet 7 inches. Total depth from front to rear about 94 feet 9 inches. The house contains 2 rooms on hall floor, 2 good rooms on first floor, and two rooms on each of the floors over. There is a return room on the hall floor, good dry under storey, including well-lighted kitchen, a good front room. Electric light. The stable premises have overhead loft, and connect with a good lane off Lower Merrion street. Clear possession of the entire. Held for 60 years from 1st July, 1911, subject to the annual rent of £50 13s. 0d. A first-class position for private or professional occupier.

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BARRINGTON & SON, Solicitors, 10 Ely place.

TUESDAY, 13th AUGUST.

"LOUGHMORNE," KIMMAGE ROAD, EAST, TERENURE.

Attractive detached residence, about three minutes' walk from Terenure tram terminus. Stands in about 2 acres and has a frontage to Kimmage road of over 200 feet. Grounds include a nicely-planted lawn, 2 paddocks, well-stocked walled-in garden. Accommodation:—Diningroom, drawingroom, morning-room and study, 4 bedrooms, dressingroom, 2 return rooms, bathroom, sep. w.c., heated linen room, maid's room, pantries, kitchen; electric light.

Stables, garage, lofts, cowhouse and hay shed, 2 greenhouses, 2 summerhouses. A choicely situated, attractive residence, held for ever, subject to £28 16s. 10d. per annum. Possession to purchaser. Seen by appointment.

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(TOP OF ALBERT ROAD).

Detached, non-basement house, with garage at side. Garden in front and large garden at rear. Accommodation:—Two sittingrooms, each opening into garden; five bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, with fixed basin; separate w.c., electric light. Unusually attractive situation, commanding lovely views. Within two minutes' walk of 'bus. Ground Rent, £15. Lease, 1,000 years.

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Semi-detached, non-basement house, occupying a high, healthy situation, on the 'bus line. Has electric light and gas, nice garden, and facilities for garage. Enjoys remission of rates for three or four years to run. Two sittingrooms, three bedrooms, kitchen bathroom (with shower attachment), w.c. etc. Held for 498 years, and sold subject to £7 10s 0d. per annum. Possession to purchaser.

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Auctioneers, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

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DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH LODGE, ON 6 ACRES,

WITH VALUABLE BUILDING FRONTAGES AND 4 SMALL MODERNISED DWELLINGHOUSES.

MESSRS. ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD., are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, on

WEDNESDAY, 7th AUGUST, at 12 Noon,

the above attractive Detached Residence, standing on 6 acres 1 rood 37 perches, or thereabouts, Statute Measure, conveniently situated close to Rathfarnham village, on the main road to Ballyboden, within 20 minutes' 'bus drive from centre of the city. The house stands well back from the main road, and is approached by an avenue with two-roomed lodge at entrance gate. Accommodation comprises:—Entrance hall, with tiled porch; drawingroom, with conservatory off same; double diningroom, study, back hall, with w.c.; five family bedrooms, bathroom (with shower), separate w.c and lavatory; kitchen (terrazzo flooring), scullery, pantry, coalhouse, two maids' rooms. Side entrance. Electric light and power, garage, large walled-in garden and orchard. Tennis ground and front lawn.

A separate avenue leads to newly converted, semi-detached bungalow (three rooms, kitchenette and bathroom) and three two-storey dwellinghouses (living room, kitchenette and bathroom, with two bedrooms upstairs), all entirely self-contained, with own gardens, and equipped with modern tiled fireplaces, electric water heaters and cookers, newly decorated, and readily lettable at 25/- weekly each (names of several desirable applicants are to hand). There are sites for several more houses in continuation with these, and also on the main road frontages.

The whole affords an attractive residential property combined with desirable investment, and suitable for building development, and will be offered firstly as one lot, held for 150 years from 1857, subject to £48 13s. 10d., and under a reversionary lease for 45 years from 2001 at £8 p.a. If not disposed of in one lot the property will be offered in the following two lots, as shown on estate map—(1) The Residence, with front lawn, gardens, etc., comprising about three acres Statute, to be held under sub-lease for 105 years from 1940, subject to £36 17s. 0d., and (2) the four dwellinghouses and building land adjoining, with field fronting the main road, to be held for 105 years from 1940, subject to £30 7s. 0d.

P.L. Valuation of whole property, £46.

Full particulars and permit to view may be had on application to the Auctioneers, or to MESSRS. FRANKS & OULTON, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 21 Lower Fitzwilliam street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

Immediately after the property has been offered for sale the contents of the house will be Sold by Public Auction, principally comprising:—Three-piece Chesterfield Suite, upholstered in tapestry; Mahogany Angle China Cabinet, Mahogany Cabinet Gramophone and Records, Oak Nest of Trio Tables, Mahogany Shaped-top Occasional Table, Oak and Chromium Tea Trolleys, Mahogany Screw-out Dining Table, Fumed-Oak Diningroom Suite, comprising Table, with pull-out leaves, Sideboard and four Chairs; Oak Oval Mirror, pair Japanese Vases, Oak Hallstand, Axminster and Indian Carpets and Stair Carpet, Lined Tapestry and other Curtains; Bedroom Furniture, including Figured Walnut and Oak Bedroom Suites, with Double and Single Bedsteads, Spiral, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Wardrobes, etc.; Kitchen Utensils, Meat Safe, two Gas Boilers, Chicken Brooder, etc., etc.

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WE are now further instructed to sell the entire contents, containing Iron Frame Grand Piano by Kirkman, French Harmonium, Chesterfield in Plush, Easy Chairs in ditto, Papier Mâche Chairs, Occasional Drawingroom Chairs, Inlaid Display Cabinets, Mahogany Expanding Dining Table, Folding Top Dining Table, Set of 6 Mahogany Dining Chairs, other Diningroom Chairs, Mahogany Sideboard, Mahogany Dumb Waiter, Mahogany Frame Couch in Leather, Oak Roll Top Desk, Carved Mahogany Secretaire, Milner's Safe with 2 cash drawers, 2 Mahogany Grandfather Clocks, French Gilt Clock, Marble Clock, several Mahogany Bookcases, a large quantity of Books, Battery Wireless Set, Ironstone Dinner Service, Waterford Glass, Ornamental China, Carved Mahogany Hall Table, Hall Stand, Pair Mahogany Hall Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany and Inlaid Walnut Bedroom Suites, Walnut Mirror-door Wardrobe, several Gent's Mahogany Wardrobes, Mahogany Tallboys, Antique Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Mahogany Pedestal, Brass and Iron Beds, Linen, Blankets, Sewing Machine, Kitchen Furniture, Mangle, Meat Safe, Scales and Weights, Ladder, Steps, Lawn Mower, Edging Shears and Garden Tools.

On View Monday next, 29th, from 10 to 5 o'clock.

ORDER OF SALE:—Tuesday—Diningroom, Study, Hall and Drawingroom; Wednesday—Outdoor Effects, Kitchen, Bedrooms.

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Specially built for owner's occupation. Spacious, semi-detached, two-storey house, brick front, slated roof, porched entrance, and bay windows to roof. Two reception rooms (f doors), with French door to garden; four bedrooms, kitchen, china pantry, larder, bathroom and w.c. (sep.); also outside w.c. and out-offices. Gardens front and rear. Garage alongside.

Solicitor:—JAMES FAGAN, Esq., 58 Parnell square, Dublin.

AFTER SALE OF HOUSE, THE FURNITURE WILL BE SOLD.

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Terms:—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees. On View Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A., M.I.A.A.

Auctioneer and Valuer, 3 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8th, at 1 o'clock,

"MONTREUX LODGE," 19 SEAFORT PARADE, BLACKROCK,

WITH CLEAR POSSESSION.

MESSRS. HAZLEY & CO. are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their ESTATE SALEROOMS, MAIN STREET, BLACKROCK, this commodious, semi-detached Residence, close to tram line and sea, containing 3 reception rooms, kit. (range) and lavatory on hall floor; 4 bedrooms and bathroom (h. and c.) on first floor, and two large rooms in basement. The premises are held under Pembroke Lease for a term of 99 years from Sept., 1903, at an annual rent of £8 10s 0d. P.L.V. £22.

There is a garden attached to house, with space for a garage.

For Conditions of Sale and Orders to View apply to Messrs. MATHESON, ORMSBY & PRENTICE, 16-17 Lower O'Connell street; or

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VAUGHAN—July 22, 1940, [...] Rev. J. C. Handley Vaug[...] Rectory, Portrush, gift of [...]

MARRIAGES.

BROMLEY and LANNON—J[...] Victoria Memorial Hall, [...] R. W. Robb; Albin A[...] M.Sc., youngest son of Eus[...] and of Mrs. Bromley, [...] India, to Grace Gladys [...] daughter of John W. La[...] late Mrs. Lannon, Che[...] Knock, Belfast.

GILES and SALMON—July [...] J., elder son of Mr. and [...] Giles, "Springfield," S[...] Blackrock, to Eileen, elder [...] late Paul Salmon and of [...] George's avenue, Blackrock[...]

GOLDEN WEDD[...]

NOLAN and MURPHY—J[...] St. John's Church, Tralee, [...] Quill, C.C.; William M[...] Sheriff of Limerick, eldest [...] the late James Nolan, Li[...] M. Murphy, sixth daughter [...] late Denis Murphy, Listell[...]

DEATHS.

ARNOTT—July 26, 1940, [...] Baily, Co. Dublin, Sir [...] Arnott, Bart., in his 87th [...] (strictly private), Howth [...] 2.30 p.m. to-day (Monday[...]

BURD—July 27, 1940, at th[...] nephew, The Rectory, B[...] A. A. Burd, M.A., T.C.D[...] Galbally, Co. Limerick. [...] by a large circle of friend[...] Funeral (private) to B[...] Cemetery at 2 p.m. [...] (Monday).

CORBAN LUCAS—On Sund[...] at Maryville, Kilworth, [...] Lucas, widow of Arthu[...] Lucas, and daughter of [...] Dwyer, of Kilcor, Castlely[...]

DOBBYN—July 27, 1940, a[...] castle, Co. Down, at the [...] sister, Lettice E. A. Dobb[...] the late G. H. W. Dobby[...]

GREY—July 26, 1940, at his [...] field road, Clontarf, Jo[...] husband of Elsie Grey. [...] to-day (Monday) to St. [...] following Service at [...] Church, 9.45 a.m. No flo[...]

HALLINAN—July 27, 1940[...] Cosy Lodge, Sandymount [...] F. Hallinan, dearly-belo[...] Helen Hallinan. Deeply [...] Funeral this (Monday[...] Glasnevin, after 10 o'cloc[...] the Sea Church, Sandymo[...]

HAROLD-BARRY—July 2[...] Phillip Harold-Barry, of [...] vant. Deeply regretted.

O'BRIEN (Athlone)—July [...] Brother Patrick O'Brien, [...] of Rev. Father Isidore [...] and Brother Kevin O'Br[...] York; died at Athlone. [...] Franciscan Church, Athl[...] day), July 29, at 11 o[...] immediately afterwards [...] American papers please c[...]

O'CONNOR—July 27, 1940[...] ing home, Dublin, Mary [...] Ormond road, Rathm[...] Cornelius O'Connor, lat[...] Office, Dublin. Deeply [...] Funeral strictly private.

PHILLIPS—On Saturday [...] Kathleen, wife of Fred [...] Bank, Cork.

WATSON—July 28, 194[...] hospital, William Watso[...] eldest son of the late Jo[...] Stowlin, Eyrecourt, C[...] 84 years. Funeral (p[...] (Tuesday) to Mount Je[...]

WILSON—July 27, 1940[...] Lanmore, Shankill, Me[...] wife of Claude Wils[...] daughter of the late He[...] Mary Croly, late of Merr[...] (private) to Dean's Gra[...]

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IN MEMOR[...]

HUTCHINSON—In loving [...] dear Nelly, called to R[...] 1935. "Peace, perfect pe[...] Father.

HUTCHINSON—In fondes[...] called Home on 29th J[...] ever with the Lord."—A[...]

HUTCHINSON—In loving [...] who passed away, [...] "Nearer, my God, to [...] Pearl.

JOLLEY—In ever-loving [...] father, Christopher Jo[...] Dairy, whom God calle[...] 1938; also my dear brot[...] July 30th, 1939.

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Their lives linked [...]
Day by day I miss [...]
As I walk through [...]
Sadly missed by Sis.

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